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U. S. NAVY PRESSES ATTACK ON PALAU

RAF SENDS BIG BOMBER FORCE TO NUERNBERG

95 Planes Lost Out of Armada Numbering Possibly 1,000.

By The Associated Press

LONDON, March 31 — A great armada of RAF bombers numbering probably more than 1,000 machines hit the southern German transport center and Nazi congress city of Nuernberg and other points in the reich last night at a cost of 96 planes — the heaviest toll ever taken of an allied air fleet in a single operation.

The record loss was announced just as the entire German network with the exception of Vienna in old Austria shut down this morning shortly after the warning that "enemy" planes are approaching.

The first German warnings said the daylight raiders were over Hessen-Nassau province in Prussia in which Frankfurt is situated.

The RAF's announced loss, which contrasted to German claims of having inflicted the greatest defeat of the war on the British air force with the shooting down of 132 four-engined bombers, was incurred in the 17th heavy bomber operation in March by the British air fleet.

The big attack force, probably was one of the largest ever sent out, the daylight raiders streaking over the reich, and a huge fleet—largest of heavy bombers ever to strike a target from the Mediterranean—which raided Sofia in Bulgaria yesterday wound up the biggest month in the European air war.

The attack on Nuernberg—scene of Nazi party rallies and peacetime center of the toy industry—was the ninth on that city.

It was carried out while British intruders ranged over the continent shooting up airfields in France, the low countries and Germany itself and while a small force of German raiders was giving London its first alert in three nights.

The official description of the Nuernberg raid as in "very great strength" suggested that in the neighborhood of 2,240 short (U.S.) tons of bombs had fallen on the city. The city was hit in force Aug. 27, 1943.

The city is one of the most important rail and industrial centers of southern Germany, the site of such warplants as the M.A.N. diesel engine works, the Faun motor works, the Siemens-Schubert electrical works and other plants turning out tanks, armored vehicles, aircraft components,

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Return To Fast Time Is Set for Midnight Sunday

The payoff on that hour's snooze that Marionites collected on last fall when clocks were turned back an hour comes Sunday night when the tables will be turned and the city goes back on Eastern War Time for the summer. The changeover is scheduled for Sunday midnight.

Little confusion is anticipated with the change of time. Clocks will be moved ahead one hour and schedules will go on the same as usual. School hours will be the same as will those in stores, industries and business places in general.

Big Ben atop the courthouse will be stepped up to conform with the time change and clocks in the city will again be "caught up" with those in bus stations and at the union depot. Folks having favorite radio programs will have to remember the "hour later" schedule and not blame the radio when tune in at 5:45 p. m. and fail to hear Lowell Thomas. Persons having to make trains or buses will breathe a sigh of relief at not having to figure "double time" and a few more words may be added to letters with a "spare" hour to make the mailing deadline.

Clocks were turned back an hour the first Sunday of last October when the city council put its OK on the measure. A major factor in making the change was to avoid having children enroute to school in the early morning darkness. A majority of cities and towns in the state, adopting the fall time last fall are stepping up to fast time for the summer months.

In order to check in on time next Monday morning the safest bet is to "up" the clock one hour before retiring Sunday night.

The county commissioners said they weren't personally in favor of the time change, but would not stop the courthouse clock moved to cause confusion. To conform with state law the clocks in the offices where official records are filed will remain on slow time.

Soldier Vote Bill Becomes Law Without President's Signature

Roosevelt Considers Measure Inadequate To Assure Voting Privileges To Service Men in November.

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON, March 31—President Roosevelt notified congress today he was letting the service vote bill become law without his signature even though he considered it "wholly inadequate" in providing service men and women an opportunity to ballot.

The chief executive sent a message to Capitol Hill announcing his intention to let the controversial measure become law at midnight tonight.

In it, he appealed to the states to cooperate in making the bill as "fully effective as its defestive provisions will allow."

The measure would let service men and women overseas vote with federal ballots but only if they had applied for state ballots by Sept. 1 and did not receive them by Oct. 1. In addition, the governors of their states would have to certify that the ballots were authorized by state law.

Results of Poll

In a poll of all the governors, Mr. Roosevelt had learned that at least 20 states planned to do nothing about authorizing use of supplementary federal ballots, that 19 would permit their use or probably would, and that 9 were non-committal.

The Chief Executive also appealed to congress "to take more adequate action to protect the political rights of our men and women in the service."

He asked that the measure which he was allowing to become law be amended so as to permit all persons in uniform who have not received state ballots by an appropriate date, regardless of whether they have applied formally for them, to use the federal ballot without prior express authorization by the states.

States' Responsibility

"If the states do not accept the federal ballot," Mr. Roosevelt declared, "that will be their responsibility. Under this bill, that responsibility is shared by the congress.

"Our boys on the battle fronts must not be denied an opportunity to vote simply because they are away from home. They are at the front fighting with their lives to defend our rights and our freedoms. We must assure them their rights and freedoms at home so that they will have a fair share in determining the kind of life to which they will return."

Earlier Senator O'Mahoney (D-Wyo.), chairman of the Democratic senatorial campaign committee had predicted relatively few men overseas would get to vote in November. Most congressional leaders had anticipated the President's action in letting the bill become law without his signature.

Mr. Roosevelt termed provisions of the bill confusing and said it was difficult to know what its practical effect would be in operation. He said it was impossible for him to determine whether more service men and women would be able to vote under it than under existing law. The determination will depend largely, he asserted, on the extent to which state cooperate to make the bill as effective as its provisions permit.

"In view of this situation," he told the legislators, "I have re-

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War Summary

PACIFIC—Adm. Nimitz reports U. S. attack on Palau, 600 miles from PPhillippines. from Philippines, continues. Jap ships flee as U. S. craft approach.

BOMBING—British send force of 1,000 bombers to drop 2,240 tons of bombs on Nuernberg, Germany. Armada loses 96 planes.

BURMA—British lose Tiddim in Burma, forward base protecting Imphal.

ITALY—Germans occupy Cassino hill positions evacuated by Allies. 65 Casualties reported when Nazi planes bomb Angio hospital area.

BRITISH LOSE BASE IN BURMA

Tiddim, 100 Miles from Imphal, Lost As Japs Drive Into India.

By The Associated Press

NEW DELHI, March 31—British forces have surrendered Tiddim, their forward base in the Chin hills of Burma, 100 miles below Imphal, Gen. Sir Claude Auchinleck, British commander in India, told the Indian legislature today.

The disclosure was made almost simultaneously with the announcement in a communique from Admiral Lord Louis Mountbatten that Japanese jungle parties spread over a front of nearly 200 miles were persistently probing deeper into eastern India's defenses and had penetrated into the main communications of the vital Manipur plain.

Auchinleck declared, however, Imphal itself was strongly defended and declared such penetration was not likely to be of major importance.

At the same time, he announced, British forces fighting their way north from Tiddim through Japanese road blocks had joined other British forces which fought their way southward along the road from Imphal.

Break Main Road

Admiral Mountbatten's communique said one raiding party broke through to the main road running north from Imphal, capital of Manipur state, to Kohima, 60 miles to the north, and although this party was forced away after it had damaged a bridge and carried out some ambushes till other Japanese were able to lay down mortar fire on the highway.

Another Japanese infiltration party was reported north of Kohima, striking at the communications of that center on the road to the Brahmaputra valley and the main allied supply system.

Japanese pressure remained heavy on the Tiddim road, 24 miles southeast of Imphal.

The Japanese last were reported halfway between Palel and Tamu on the Burma border, 48 miles from the Manipur capital.

While air-borne commandos raided the airfield of Aniskan and destroyed an aircraft, British and American aviators carried out 850 sorties, losing but one plane.

Auchinleck Confident

The Japanese gains in the border area were made despite the reassuring statement by Gen. Auchinleck declaring the enemy invasion carried no threat to India and that British forces were determined to hold the advance base of Imphal.

He conceded, however, temporary interruption of communications might take place.

(The Tokyo radio declared the Imphal - Kohima highway had been cut 25 miles north of Imphal.

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WEATHER REPORT

OHIO FORECAST

Partly cloudy and continued cold tonight. Saturday partly cloudy and warmer.

LOCAL TEMPERATURE

Noon Today	32
(For period between 8 a. m. yesterday and 8 a. m. today.)	
Maximum	41
Minimum	21
Snowfall	.1 of an inch
One Year Ago Today	
Maximum	77
Minimum	46

JAPS GIVE UP RIGHTS TO RED OIL, COAL LEASE

Cancellation of Agreement Due To Expire in 1970 Seen As Blow to Tokyo.

By The Associated Press

MOSCOW, March 31—The Japanese government received today a staggering blow from the west when the Soviet government announced it had signed a protocol under which Tokyo agreed to surrender her oil and coal leases on northern Sakhalin island in the Pacific.

The Russian contracted to furnish Japan with 50,000 tons of oil a year for five years beginning after the war.

The Soviet Union also will pay Japan 5,000,000 rubles (about $950,000) under terms of the protocol signed yesterday. Japan promised to hand over to Russia all property, including equipment, material and food, which belongs to Japanese concessionaries in northern Sakhalin.

Island Ownership Divided

Japan owns the southern half of the island and Russia the north half. The oil and coal leases originally ran until 1970.

Under the protocol, Tokyo is forced to reduce by 26 years its concessions to these vital materials of war and return the wells and coal mines immediately to the Soviet Union.

The oil and coal rights were yielded to Japan in 1925 for a 45-year period.

The official announcement of the protocol said:

"In the spring of 1941 during negotiations on the conclusion of the Soviet - Japanese neutrality pact, the Soviet government raised the question of liquidation of the above mentioned concessions. *** The Japanese promised to solve the question no later than six months after the signature of the neutrality pact. This pledge was not fulfilled by the Japanese side. As a result of this present agreement, the Japanese concessions in northern Sakhalin are ended 26 years before the fixed term."

(The Moscow newspaper Izvestia was quoted in a broadcast as saying that Russia in her dealings with Japan gave "consideration of the special circumstances in the military situation prevailing in the Pacific for our allies.")

Only last night, the Russians announced renewal of an agreement granting Japan fishing privileges in far eastern waters for five more years.

The Russians will supply Japan with oil from the Okhinsky fields after the war. The Soviets promised the Japanese free export of oil and coal from storerooms in the concessioned territory in northern Sakhalin. Actual transfer of the stored oil and coal is to start within five days.

The agreement, signed by Solomon Lozovsky, Russian vice commissar for foreign affairs, and Nautake Sato, Japanese ambassador, became effective immediately.

(The view in London was that Japan's surrender of the Sakhalin concessions so far ahead of

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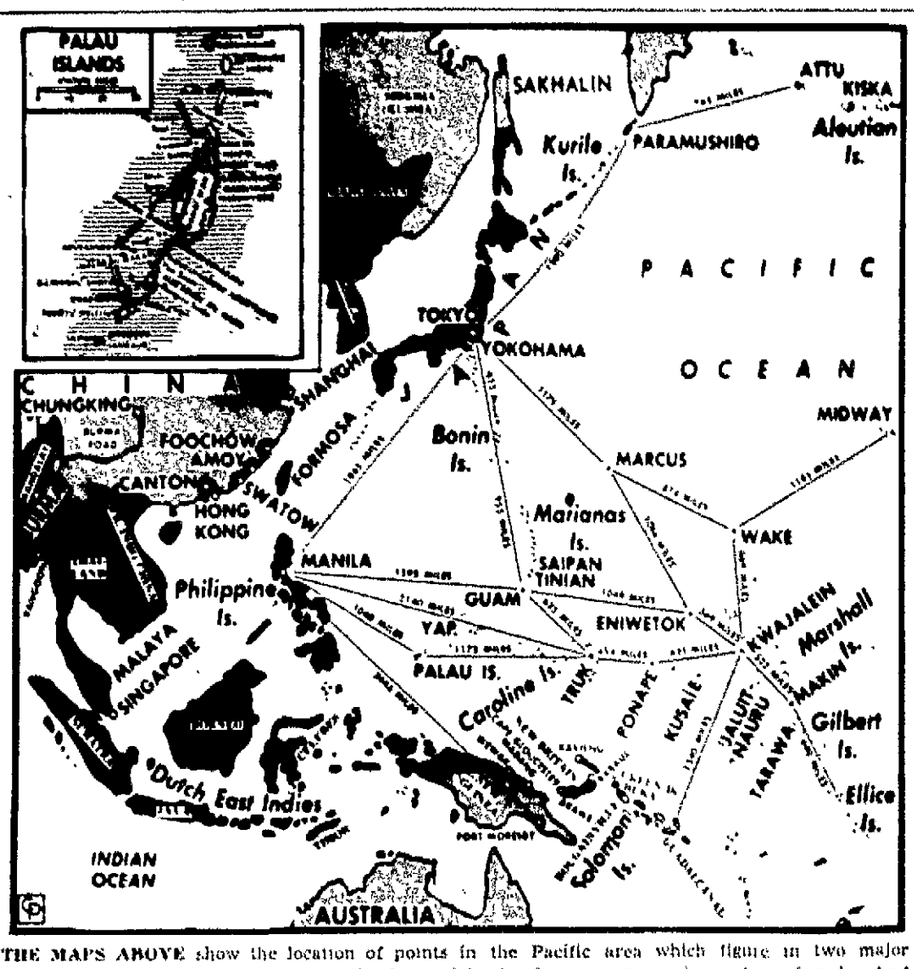

THE MAPS ABOVE show the location of points in the Pacific area which figure in two major news developments today. They are the Palau Islands, Japanese possession only a few hundred miles from the Philippines, and Sakhalin Island, partly owned by Russia and Japan. The powerful Palau Japanese naval base is under attack by American warships, closest to the Philippines the U. S. forces have struck thus far. Sakhalin Island's place in the news results from Japan's agreement to surrender to Russia her coal and oil leases on the northern half of the island. In the map, the light northern half is the part owned by Russia, and the Japanese half is black. Inset map at top left shows the Palau Islands in detail.

$7,163 NEEDED IN FUND DRIVE

Red Cross Subscriptions To Be Received at Store Booths.

A report meeting last night in Red Cross headquarters revealed that $7,163.86 is still needed for Marion county to reach its war fund drive quota.

A total of $48,836.14 has been received to date and drive officials hope the balance can be received through the booths which are being operated today and tomorrow in a number of downtown stores. Arrangements have also been completed for donations to be received by employes in various other places of business.

The booths, in charge of volunteer workers under Mrs. Carl W. Sawyer, will be in Uhler's, Frank Brothers, J. C. Penney Co. and Henney and Cooper stores. Contributions will also be accepted by personnel at the Marion banks, gas, water and electric company offices and the Turoff and Midway restaurants.

An Appeal To All

This plan will afford everyone an equal chance to contribute and an appeal is being made to all Marion families to give something if they haven't already done so and for those who have contributed to add as much more as they can.

Individual reports last night were as follows: special gifts, $4,056; large industries, $6,053.22; small industries, $2,424; national stores, $1,239; professional, $1,223; uptown retail, $2,717.50; residential, First Ward, Mrs. W. E. Buckingham, $2,963.68; Second, Mrs. Nelson Irvin, $2,291.69; Third, Mrs. E. W. Koeppen, $1,662.70; Fourth, Mrs. A. G. Birch, $3,007.36; Fifth, Mrs. Harold Meister, $3,-

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GERMANS OCCUPY HILLS AT CASSINO

By The Associated Press

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, NAPLES, March 31—German troops have moved into two positions on Monastery hill evacuated several days ago by Indian and New Zealand troops and small enemy groups have attacked inside Cassino, it was announced today, but air operations again overshadowed ground activities.

On the Anzio beachhead, 65 casualties resulted when German planes bombed an allied hospital area, headquarters said.

Fifth army forces clinging to positions inside battered Cassino repulsed the new German thrusts and inflicted severe losses on the attackers, it was announced. Nazi tanks again appeared near the fortified Continental hotel but allied artillery brought them under heavy fire.

In the air yesterday American

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Last Day for Use of Old Plates Spurs Sales of New Ones

Several hundred persons visited the Marion auto license office on West Church street yesterday as the deadline tonight for the use of 1943 licenses neared. It was one of the busiest days so far in the sale of 1944 plates, but today's business was expected to be even larger, James E. Messenger, deputy registrar, said.

The office will be open from 7 to 9 tonight to accommodate late comers.

Sales up to this morning in Marion totaled 5,939, or 21 ahead of the number on the next to the last day a year ago, Mr. Messenger said.

The Associated Press reported that no eleventh hour rush for license plates was developing this year but sales were expected to be about the same as in 1943 for Ohio, despite further cuts in gasoline rations. Ohio license sales in 1943 totaled 2,282,720.

SCHOLARSHIP TEST RESULTS ANNOUNCED

Two Harding Seniors Set Pace in Marion County.

Results in the annual scholarship tests conducted March 11 at Harding High school have been received and D. T. Mills, county superintendent of schools, announced today that two Harding seniors were among the leaders.

Charles E. Breithaupt, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Breithaupt of 327 Marion avenue scored 232 out of a possible 300 points and John L. McKenney, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. McKenney of 593 Windsor street, scored 214. Both are eligible for scholarship awards from colleges.

Seven other students at Harding who placed among the top scorers will receive certificates of merit signed by Mr. Mills and Kenneth Ross and Roy G. Wood, director of the state tests from the Ohio department of education. They are: Marshall Browne, 209; Bill Hime, 209; Charles Elliott, 198; Richard Moore, 195; Edith Noggle, 193; Eleanor Planck, 187 and Virginia Smith, 187.

Certificates of merit will also be given to Allen Augenstein of Claridon and John Walter Cusick of Pleasant township, both with scores of 194.

Honorable mention was given to these students of both Harding and county schools; Juanita Behner of Agosta, 185; Robert Virden, Harding, 184; Eleanor Swain, Harding, 183; Betty Ralph, Green Camp, 181; Robert Taylor, Harding, 181; Ramona Cox, Caledonia, 180; Robert Blake, Harding, 179; Richard Drollinger, Harding, 179; Marjorie Augenstein, Harding, 178; and Verne Day Jr. of Meeker 178.

The tests were taken by 23 students in Marion county.

SOVIETS FORCE PRUT CROSSING

First Ukranian Army Drives Toward Rumanian and Hungarian Border.

By The Associated Press

MOSCOW, March 31—Surging across the northern Prut river through captured Czernowitz, Marshal Gregory K. Zhukov's First Ukrainian army is moving up into the Carpathian mountains toward Hungary and Rumania, dispatches from the front declared today.

Zhukov's vanguards rolled through Delatyn, 15 miles north of the Hungarian border where the pass of the Tatars leads through the Carpathians into former Czechoslovakian territory given to Hungry when Hitler dismembered the Czecho-Slovak state. After routing the German defenders of Czernowitz, Zhukov's troops pushed on south through Storozhints, 15 miles north of the present Rumania border.

Second Army Poised

The Second Ukrainian army, commanded by Marshal Ivan S. Konev, remained poised on the east bank of the Prut where it forms the frontier of Rumania.

For five days Konev has held his forces on the Bessarabian side of the Prut, mopping up isolated groups of German and Rumanian troops and has extended Russian domination of the east bank to a distance of 80 miles. The border town of Lipcani, 40 miles east of Czernowitz, was captured.

Some 2,000 Hitlerites were annihilated in the forests near Mynkovtsy, 28 miles northeast of Kamenets Podolsk, and many prisoners were taken, the communique said, while capture of Kitalgorod all but wiped out the Kamenets Podolsk pocket through which Germans retreating from the Proskurov sector have been trying to escape.

Odessa Under Pressure

Further east Gen. Rodion Y. Malinovsky's Third Ukrainian army intensified its pressure on Odessa, last German-held port in the Ukraine near the mouth of the Dniester river.

Advances up to 20 miles were reported by the Soviet communique. Among the more than 250 towns captured was Turchanoye, west of Nikolaev and only 47 miles from Odessa.

The Russian drive through Delatyn toward the Carpathians carried spearheads of Zhukov's forces 12 miles southwest of Kolomea in a single day, these advices said.

MISSISSIPPI ON RAMPAGE

By The Associated Press

ATLANTA, March 31 — Two companies of the Mississippi state guard were on the job today to aid evacuation in flooded areas, but fair weather and a downward revision of flood crest estimates promised a let-up from rising waters that took at least nine lives in Alabama, Georgia, Louisiana and Mississippi.

JAP WARSHIPS FLEE BEFORE ATTACK BEGINS

Strongly Defended Base 600 Miles from Philippines Now Under Fire.

By The Associated Press

U. S. PACIFIC FLEET HEADQUARTERS, PEARL HARBOR, March 31 — Roaring defiance within 600 statute miles of the Philippines, masses of American warships opened the war's first attack Wednesday on the powerful Japanese naval base of Palau, and Nipponese naval units there, forewarned by planes of the armada's approach, deserted the area in flight.

"Our attacks continue," announced Adm. Chester W. Nimitz in phraseology recalling first disclosure of the overwhelming two-day carrier plane strike Feb. 16-17 on Truk, 1,175 miles east of Palau.

It seemed likely this deepest penetration on the road back to the Philippines was made by aircraft carrier task forces at least equal in size to those which dealt such heavy plane and naval losses to Japan at Truk and, a few days later, ripped apart the air defenses of Saipan, Tinian and Guam in the Marianas.

Admiral Nimitz' communique yesterday stated that "strong Pacific fleet forces, at dawn Wednesday, 29th of March (west longitude U. S. date) initiated attacks on Japanese-held Palau Island."

Strong U. S. Force

The fact that Japanese warships at Palau, at the west end of the Carolines, "were observed fleeing the area before our units could reach attack positions" indicated the attacking armada's impressive size. At Truk, in the Marianas and now at Palau, the United States Navy has moved boldly afar from home bases into long fortified nests of the enemy, fairly spoiling for a fight with Japan's elusive fleet.

Admiral Nimitz said Nipponese search planes from New Guinea helped spot the task force's approach, which may mean the Navy swung south of the Carolines to get at Palau. That would put the task forces in waters adjacent to the south-southwest Pacific command of Gen. Douglas MacArthur.

(There was strong suggestion the air arms of MacArthur and Nimitz acted in coordination to shatter possible enemy plans interference along the route to Palau. Tuesday, United States time, MacArthur's bombers made their first appearance in the Carolines, hitting Woleai midway between Palau and Truk. Tuesday, South Pacific bombers dealt a devastating blow at Truk's air strength. Then Wednesday night, after the Palau attack had opened, Central Pacific Liberators of the Seventh Air Force gave Truk a going over).

Jap Singapore

The scores of small islands making up Palau have been transformed into "Japan's Singapore" since they, the rest of the Carolines and all of the Marshalls were taken over by Japan from Germany, in 1914.

The town of Korkor, south of Palau's biggest island of Babelthuap, is administrative center for the 1,500 Caroline islands. Palau's southernmost island of Angaur is one huge phosphate mine, eight square miles in area, and its phosphates are shipped to Japan for munitions making.

The communique indicated one purpose of the strike at Palau was to trap enemy fighting ships; another apparently was to scout one of the enemy's primary defense positions protecting the conquered Philippines and to inflict damage while doing so.

Palau has two anchorages: Schonlan and Malakal harbors.

COLLETT IS TAKEN TO PRISON TODAY

By The Associated Press

COLUMBUS, O., March 31—James W. Collett, swinging a large Bible in his right hand, entered Ohio penitentiary today as a man doomed to die for murder.

The convicted slayer of the Elmer McCoy family at Washington C. H. last Thanksgiving eve faltered as the gates swung open for him, and then walked steadily inside.

He turned to newsmen at the gate, saying:

"They may destroy my body and my mind, but not my soul."

Collett, a slight, 60-year-old well-to-do Clinton county hog breeder, is under sentence to be electrocuted July 28, but appeals from his conviction are certain to grant him longer life.

He entered the mid-town prison at 10:10 a. m., exactly one hour after he was taken from the Fayette county jail at Washington

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Ohio's 37th Division Ranks Among Best of World War II

Here, for the first time, is the full story of how Maj. Gen. Robert S. Beightler took a lot of Ohioans and whipped them into a crack division, and then led them personally in the bloody battles of the southwest Pacific. The division, the 37th, included companies from this section of Ohio.

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(Distributed by The Associated Press)

WITH THE 37TH DIVISION IN BOUGAINVILLE—It's a long way from the farms and cities of Ohio to the battlefields of Munda and Bougainville.

This is how the 37th division, pride of Ohio, traveled that road with its commander, Maj. Gen. Robert S. Beightler, guiding the way.

And the record of the 37th division in the bitter campaign for the Munda airfield in New Georgia and in this action here in Bougainville speaks for itself, for its commanding general and for the men who make the organization the crack Army division that it is today.

It wasn't easy — building a smoothly operating, powerful combat team of all the infantry arms.

No one will ever know the perplexing problems that confronted General Beightler Oct. 15, 1940, the day the Ohio National Guard became part of the Army of the United States. It was a critical time and the 51-year-old former state highway director of Ohio knew that upon him rested the job of whipping his skeleton divi-

GEN. ROBERT S. BEIGHTLER

sion into such a state of training that it could take the field against the enemies of the United States in a few months.

But this slender, erect soldier who enlisted in Company E of the old Fourth Ohio regiment in 1911

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COURT NEWS

Partition Asked

Ralph G. Augenstein has filed a petition in common pleas court against John Knickle and others, seeking partition of real estate known as lot No. 6186 in Kenilworth Heights addition in Marion. Carhart & Carhart represent the plaintiff.

Divorce Action

Petition granted—Minnie Lowery against Glen F. Lowery, divorce and alimony granted to plaintiff, grounds neglect.

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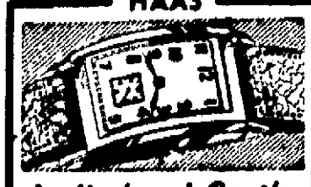

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NEWS FROM OUR BOYS

Gerald A. Wilson, who is with an Army chemical warfare division at Camp Seibert, Ala., has arrived home on a 13-day furlough. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Wilson of near Bucyrus.

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Thomas T. Daugherty, seaman second class, is stationed at the U. S. Naval Receiving Barracks at Shoemaker, Calif., word received by his wife, Mrs. Thomas Daugherty of 380 Mary street, states. He spent two weeks at his home here after completing his boot training at the Naval Training station at Great Lakes, Ill.

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Cpl. Benjamin F. Klingel, who is with the armed forces in Italy, has received a ribbon and star in recognition of combat action in the battle of Sicily, according to word received by his sister, Mrs. Walter Baldauf of Mary street. He also received a good conduct ribbon. Cpl. Klingel is serving in a field artillery with the 45th Division in Italy. Mrs. Thomas Daugherty of Mary street also is a sister of Cpl. Klingel.

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Norman E. Fitzwater, seaman first class, returned Wednesday to his naval section base at Charleston, S. C., after spending a 10-day leave with his mother, Mrs. Marie Redmond of 357 Fahey street, and other relatives.

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Richard H. McClure, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McClure of Seffner avenue, has been promoted from fireman first class to metalsmith third class. He is stationed aboard a repair ship in the Pacific. Metalsmith McClure joined the Navy Dec. 26, 1941, and has never been home.

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Martin C. "Jack" Lewis, gunner in the Army Air Force, has respending an eight-day furlough turned to Drew Field, Fla., after with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harley F. Lewis of 357 Brightwood drive.

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Pvt. Ned D. Samples of the U. S. Marine Corps, located at Tent Camp, New River, N. C., spent a 72-hour leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Samples of 420 South Grand avenue.

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Pvt. Jack E. Burroughs, son of Mrs. George Burroughs of 331 South Prospect street, has been transferred from Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind., to Keesler Field, Miss., for basic training, according to word received from Fort Benjamin Harrison.

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Nelson E. Moore has been promoted to seaman first class, according to word received by his mother, Mrs. Lavina Plazza of 212 Nye street. Seaman Moore is with an amphibious unit in England. He has been in the service for over a year and overseas for eight months.

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Pvt. Robert E. Sampley, husband of Mrs. Robert Sampley of Marion, and Pvt. William Hamblin, husband of Mrs. Wilda Hamblin of Green Camp, have been sent from Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind., to Sheppard Field, Tex., for basic training, according to word received from Fort Benjamin Harrison.

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Robert A. Holcomb of Marion has been sent from the reception center at Fort Thomas, Ky., to Camp Carson, Colo., according to a report from Fort Thomas.

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Pfc. Richard L. Putney and Mrs. Putney are spending a 17-day furlough in Marion. Pfc. Putney is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Putney of 283 Pearl street and Mrs. Putney is the daughter of Luther Forbis of 195 Silver street. She will remain in Marion when her husband returns to his station at Camp Haan, Calif., and will live with her father.

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Air Cadet Lowell D. Cook has completed his basic training at Palmer Field, S. C., and has been transferred to Shaw Field, Sumter, S. C., for primary training, according to word received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lowell L. Cook of 140 Chicago avenue. Cadet Cook's wife is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Key of 650 Mt. Vernon avenue and is with her husband in South Carolina.

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Roy Eugene Briggs, petty officer third class in the Navy, arrived Sunday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Briggs of Elmwood drive. He is on a 20-day leave and has been on duty in the South Pacific area 15 months and entered service in October, 1942. He will leave for San Francisco April 12.

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William O. Moore has arrived in England and have been promoted from fireman first class to motor machinist's mate third class, according to word received by his wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Moore of 329 Windsor street. He is with naval amphibious forces in England.

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Pvt. Lowell Forrider has arrived in England, according to word received by his wife, Mrs. Vivian Forrider of 838 Bennett street. Before leaving for overseas he was stationed at the Pomona Ordnance base at Los Angeles, Calif.

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By NED NORDNESS
Associated Press Writer

Half asleep, you grope out the front door for the newspaper. Suddenly you're not sleepy.

"Hey," you shout, "we've invaded Europe!"

Just like that—invasion. One day everything is quiet; the next, thousands of men, planes and ships have pussy-footed into Europe out of nowhere.

Military and Naval authorities wish fervently it were as easy as that. It isn't.

Plotting Takes Months

An invasion may be the start of a campaign lasting months. The invasion itself is the result of months of intensive an meticulous preparation by all branches of the Army and Navy.

High ranking staff officers hold long sessions behind closed doors. They pour over Commando raid data . . . probe for soft spots on invasion shores . . . scrutinize weather maps, terrain maps, flight photographs of the area and its fortifications.

Logistics (the science of supply) are of tremendous importance. An army is never better than its supply system.

And the fighting and service forces—how many troops are to be employed? What will be the proportion of ground troops to air troops, and how many of the ground forces will be armored units, infantry, artillery? What number of service troops will be required to maintain the combat troops?

Men, Munitions, Machines

Before an invasion there must be figured the amount of equipment, supplies and transportation necessary to support the personnel.

In the North African invasion 700,000 different items of supplies and equipment were required. Each soldier got 300 different items of clothing and individual equipment. The Signal corps was supplied 10,000 diffefent items: Medical department, 68,000; Engineer corps, 100,000; Ordnance department, 250,000.

After initial requirements comes the tremendous problem of troop maintenance in the field. For example, for every 100 men 17 pairs of shoes must be shipped each month.

Ammunition requirements of a task force also are tremendous. An infantry division in a normal day expends 300 tons of ammunition; 100 37 mm. antiaircraft guns require 127.5 tons of ammunition a day; gasoline is used at the average of 10 gallons a day per vehicle.

African Invasion Was Practice

Shipping . . . the North African invasion required seven tons of shipping per man for initial equipment and one and one-half ship tons a man a month was necessary to maintain the supply.

Although the North African venture was one of the largest, if not the largest invasion in world history, the opening of the second front will be of such greater magnitude that African logistics cannot be applied to the BIG show.

Shortly before invasion day will come a "softening up." Bombers will pound rail communications behind the coast with double fury to disrupt supplies of men and material. A few days later fighter-bombers will take to the air and set upon the Luftwaffe and its airfields to obliterate sky opposition.

Curtains of Fire Protect Men

Come "D" day, naval ships will throw a sheet of hurtling steel and fire to tear asunder and confuse the coast defenders. Then infantrymen will clamber into landing barges and the invasion will be under way.

After the first landing, the second and third waves will carry more infantrymen, medical and signal corps units who must immediately establish radio contact between fighters, ships off shore and reconnaissance and bomber planes above.

The instant the beachhead has been gained, armored forces—tanks, artillery, antiaircraft—must tear onto the beach to reinforce the foot soldiers. All have their part to perform and the time to begin it. One must not fail the other.

NEW AIRLINER IS BUILT BY BRITISH

Big Four-Engine Ship To Be Used After War.

By International News Service

LONDON — A prototype of a new British airliner for post-war passenger and freight traffic has just been built by the Handley Page Aircraft Co.

The new British airliner is a sister machine to the famed Halifax bomber, and many of the bomber plane's features are incorporated in its design.

Has Four Engines

Powered by four radial engines, the new airliner has a cruising speed of over 200 MPH and a top speed of nearly 300 MPH. It is equipped with a larger fuselage than the Halifax bomber and has a range of 2,000 miles with 50 passengers.

As a freighter, the new British aircraft can carry eight tons, with a range of 1,350 miles. It will be able to cross the Atlantic summer or winter, and will have a sealed oxygen-fed cabin for travel in the sub-stratosphere.

Tests Successful

The new airliner, which has not yet been given a name, will join the other all-British post-war transport aircraft, the 100-ton Brabazon plane, which the British Airplane Co. is producing, and the 32-ton Tudor, built by Avro.

The new Handley Page civil plane will be just as much a sister aircraft to the Halifax as the Avro York is to the Lancaster bomber.

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Century of Family Service in Waldo Postoffice Will End with Postmaster Gabler's Retirement

When Ralph W. Gabler turns over the keys, money orders, stamps and other equipment of the Waldo postoffice to his successor in what he hopes is the not too far distant future, it will bring to a close a span of nearly 100 years that the postoffice has been in charge of some member of his family, nearly 50 years of operation under the Gabler name and 30 years of individual service as postmaster.

Mr. Gabler does not wish to continue in the capacity of postmaster but will continue the operation of his general store in the village of Waldo, a landmark in the community since 1872. The U. S. civil service commission recently announced that an examination will be held for postmaster at that place. No date has been set for the test.

Both the operation of the general store and the postoffice carried on by the Gabler family represents an unusual and it is believed an unparalleled record of service in the county. Mr. Gabler's ancestors who served the community with a store and postoffice and his maternal grandfather, Andrew Straub, one of the early settlers, was the first postmaster and owner of the general store when travel was by stagecoach and regular hours for the proprietor were unheard of. Mr. Straub was postmaster from Nov. 26, 1847 to Feb. 8, 1858.

Store Started in 1872

The general store in which the postoffice is housed was founded in 1872 by Mr. Gabler's father, the late William Gabler. He served as postmaster through a period of years when the postmastership was not protected by civil service laws and held the office only under Republican administrations. Mr. Gabler estimates that his father served about 24 years with occasional interruptions due to changing administrations.

Mr. Gabler started working in the store as a boy of 14. He served as assistant postmaster under his father for 16 years and in 1914 was appointed postmaster under civil service when his father retired.

Business has increased at the postoffice steadily and has become particularly heavy during the last five years. The first of last year the office was reclassified and advanced from a fourth to a third class.

Once Isolated

Towns like Waldo, he recalls, were isolated when he first started into the business. Horse and buggy were the means of transportation and long trips were out of the question. The community's information on the goings on of the inhabitants as well as that of the outside world was gleaned around the stove in the village store and from the weekly newspaper distributed at the postoffice. He has welcomed the institution of rural mail delivery and air mail service and seen horse-drawn rural mail wagons which required a dawn-to-dark day for deliveries, supplanted by motor deliveries. The village and surrounding community now is serviced by a star route out of Marion and rural delivery.

RALPH W. GABLER

Mr. Gabler will devote his time to managing his general store which he has seen grow from the kerosene by the barrel and cracker barrel era to deluxe package and up-to-date service. He, like others in this particular field of business, is having his own troubles with ration stamps, points and reports right now.

From Pioneer Families

Both Mr. and Mrs. Gabler are descendents of pioneer residents of southern Marion county. Mr. Gabler's grandfather came from Germany, traveling from Philadelphia to Marion county in a wagon to settle on a farm near Waldo. Mrs. Gabler was Stella Selanders, daughter of Meigs Selanders, a native of Waldo. They have one son, Cecil Gabler, of 296 Clover avenue, principal at Vernon Heights Junior High school.

Declare Hawaii Still Faces Invasion Threat

By The Associated Press

U. S. PACIFIC FLEET HEADQUARTERS, PEARL HARBOR, MARCH 31, — Adm. Chester W. Nimitz and Lt. Gen. Robert C. Richardson jointly declared in affidavits filed in federal district court Wednesday that the territory of Hawaii "now is in imminent danger of invasion" by Japanese armed forces and has been in such danger since the attack on Pearl Harbor Dec. 7, 1941.

The affidavits were filed with their answer to a habeas corpus case challenging the necessity and validity of continuing martial law in Hawaii.

Nimitz is commander-in-chief of the Pacific ocean areas. Richardson commands United States Army forces in the central Pacific and is military governor of Hawaii.

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Kenton Pupils Win 7 Places in Exams

Special to The Star

KENTON, O., March 31—Seven of 13 honor places in the Hardin county senior scholarship test recently conducted here by County Schools Superintendent Frank C. Ransdell went to Kenton high school pupils.

Thomas Joel Hall, with a score of 232 out of a possible 285, led all contestants. Frank D. Schutte, also of Kenton, was second with 214; and the others in the upper 25 per cent included Don Lee Walker, Kenton; Reba Louise Buess, Forest; Virginia Louise Clark, Alger; Carma Ruth Kelly, Mt. Victory; Patricia Allene Cessna, Kenton; James Lawrence Hatchett, Kenton; Robert Lavern Stair, Ada; Mary Ann Hamilton, Forest; John Robert Melick, Kenton; Herbert Anspach, Ada; and Maurice James Garvin, Kenton.

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"How true that is, Herb. And for the life of me, I can't figure out why, at a time like this, some folks insist on raising a question like prohibition. I can't imagine anything that would tickle our enemies more than to get us folks over here taking sides against each other, arguing about an issue like that. We've got a he-man's job on our hands to win this war and we can't be wasting our minds, our money and our strength fighting about something we tried for nearly 14 years and found couldn't work.

"I say there's a time and a place for everything, and this is no time or place to be doing any fightin' except the kind that's going to win the war."

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Teen Age Girls Big Problem

New York City Drive Discloses Prevalence of Delinquency; Other Cities Have Troubles.

By International News Service

NEW YORK—A little girl of [illegible] missing from her home [illegible] for five weeks, was [illegible] in the arms for [illegible] picked up by police in Times [illegible] the other night, coming [illegible] a movie theater with a [illegible].

The same night, two youngsters of 16 and 17, who had vanished from their New England homes a week before, were found with [illegible] whose names they didn't even know. One of them, on examination, was found to have a venereal disease.

Whole Nation Shocked

These and similar disclosures, which have been splashed over the front pages almost daily since New York City started its current drive to oust potential juvenile delinquents from the glittering Times Square area, have shocked the nation into awareness of the new Number One war-time problem—

The dangerous increase in delinquency among the "bobby socks" girls of teen age, who flock to the districts where men in uniform stroll in search of amusement.

Sharp Rise in Cases

New York, where delinquency cases have more than doubled in the past two years, is not the only city faced with this problem.

Chicago, Minneapolis, Detroit, Cleveland, Kansas City, Los Angeles, Seattle, Denver — and countless other large cities throughout the country—have reported sharp increases in juvenile court cases since Pearl Harbor, particularly among girls.

Many of these youngsters, nicknamed "Khaki-wacki girls" or "Victory chippies," are found to be suffering from venereal diseases, and not even aware of it—a serious menace not only to the service men but to general public as well.

Many, also, unschooled and unprepared to cope with the situation into which they have recklessly flung themselves, become pregnant—with a resultant rise in illegal operations and illegitimate babies.

Some Drift Into Vice

And some, who, in normal times would be innocently sipping cokes, going to movies and dancing with neighborhood boys of their own age whom they have known since infancy, drift tragically into a life of commercialized vice and crime.

In New York City, the prevalence of youthful feminine wanderers in the brightly-lighted theatrical district has become so pronounced—despite the efforts of special police squads—that a 10 p. m. curfew has been established in Times Square for all unescorted girls under the age of 16.

Chicago reports that the number of new petitions filed in the Juvenile Delinquency court rose, from 185 (adolescent girls) in 1941 to 541 in 1943.

Many Become Mothers

The number of young unwed mothers increased 20 per cent last year over 1942. Since 1941, sex delinquency cases among girls climbed 65 per cent.

In 1941, there were approximately 12,000 cases of juvenile delinquency in the state of California. In 1943, the figure had jumped to 21,000—all boys and girls under 18. Girls accounted for the greatest share of the increase.

Denver courts handled only 46 cases of adolescent girls in 1941, as compared with 190 in 1943. In addition to the 190, 66 girls were brought "unofficially" into court by their parents—and of this total of 256 cases, about 100 centered around serious sex misbehavior.

Figures In Other Cities

Numerous other cities follow the same pattern—Detroit, where juvenile court cases involving girls increased 62.7 per cent from 1940 to 1942; Milwaukee, girls up 51.9 per cent in the same period; St. Louis, girls up to 41.6 per cent; Kansas City, girls up 54.9 per cent.

However, most of the communities where the little girls with the flowing hair and the ankle socks are running wild, aren't just sitting by idly and doing nothing.

Many are making a concerted effort to curb the runaway youngsters before they ever reach the juvenile delinquent" stage.

New York, for instance, doesn't arrest the girls without records who are "picked up" by police after dark. The delinquents, or potential delinquents are sheltered until police can get in touch with their parents.

Many Girls Infected

Girls over 16 are sent to the Florence Crittendon League and the younger ones to the Children's Society shelter. They must undergo a medical inspection, and those who are infected either report to a city hospital or to a private physician for treatments.

There is, in addition, a Coordinating Precinct Council of parents, religious and professional leaders who work with the police to combat the menace of delinquency by setting up recreation programs to keep children in their own neighborhoods in wholesome surroundings.

In one Seattle, Wash., district, juvenile delinquency has dropped at least 50 per cent since the constitution of a program of coed clubs in schools under adult supervision and an "honor system."

Denver Controls Problems

Denver, site of a large army camp, and in addition crowded with war workers and their families, has conducted a church, school, and recreational drive to keep parents informed of the need of controlling their adolescent children. The results so far have been "satisfactory," according to Juvenile Court Judge Philip B. Gilliam.

Chicago has three separate organizations laboring. Thus far the Jewish Social Service Bureau, which offers advice monthly to some 1,200 families, has appeared to be the most effective.

A growing trend is the disciplining—not of the children but of their parents. Judge Lyle W. Jackson, of the City Court, Hornell, N. Y., announced recently that he intends to hold a special "parents' court" every Tuesday and Friday, to try fathers and mothers of delinquent boys and girls under section 484 of the penal law.

LORAIN POLICEMAN KILLED

By The Associated Press

LORAIN, O., March 31—Patrolman George Kirk, 57, a member of the Lorain police force 25 years, was killed yesterday in a fall down an elevator shaft.

PUBLISHER'S WIFE DIES

By The Associated Press

EAST PALESTINES, O., March 31—Mrs. Estella D. Merwin, 62, wife of Charles L. Merwin, publisher of the East Palestine Daily Leader, died last night.

Poll Shows Public Optimism Over War's Length Declines

By GEORGE GALLUP
Director, American Institute of Public Opinion

PRINCETON, N. J., March 31—Public thinking about the length of the war has taken a sober turn in recent weeks. With the bloody battle of Italy making slow progress, the number of people who think Hitler's Germany will be defeated this year is much smaller than was the case two months ago.

The concensus of guesses today, as revealed in a nationwide survey by the Institute, is that the European war will not end until next year. This marks a significant change in public estimates. As of last January, a large majority of Americans thought the war would end in 1944. General Dwight Eisenhower had just made the same prediction.

The public estimates today are shown in the replies to the following question put to a cross-section from coast to coast by the Institute:

"How much longer do you think the war with Germany will last?"

PUBLIC'S GUESSES

Will end first half of 1944	2%
Second half of 1944	31
First half of 1945	39
Second half of 1945	7
In 1946	12
In 1947 or later	2
Unwilling to guess	7

It will be noted that the number who look for an end to the European war sometime this year totals 33 per cent. In an identical survey in January the number who gave that estimate was considerably larger—58 per cent.

Another indication of the extent to which recent events have sobered the public is that a total of 14 per cent think the European war will not end until 1946, or 1947 or later. In January such estimates totaled only 6 per cent.

War With Japan

The concensus of guesses concerning the war against Japan is about the same today as it was in January. The largest number look for the Pacific war to end in either 1945 or 1946.

PUBLIC'S GUESSES

Will end in 1944	6%
In 1945	33
In 1946	32
In 1947 or later	21
Unwilling to guess	8

The median average of all estimates is one year for the war against Germany, two years for the war against Japan.

Dogs were raised in ancient Mexico for food.

Lt. Neal Officially Reported Missing

Lt. Stanley Neal is one of 13 Ohioans, missing in action, whose names appear on the official list released by the war department today, The Associated Press reported. Lt. Neal is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Neal of 733 Silver street. An account of the word received by the parents was carried in The Star on March 6. Also listed as missing in action was Second Lt. Robert W. McKeekin of Delaware.

Hardin, Crawford Co. Soldiers Commended

Pfc. Glenn D. McCann of Dunkirk, and Pvt. Jacob E. Case of near Galion were members of a Signal Construction Company that received commendation from Maj. Gen. Oscar W. Griswold, commanding general of allied forces opposing the Japanese on Bougainville, according to an Associated Press report received today.

A portion of the commendation to the unit, which is commanded by Capt. Malcolm Homsher of Columbus, was as follows: "Operating at half strength during a most pressing period and being given very limited time in which to accomplish its mission, the signal construction company has performed in the most creditable manner. The resultant neat and well constructed pole-lines are making possible an efficient signal system of which every member may well be proud."

CHANGE PLANT OUTPUT

CINCINNATI, March 31 — The Kings Mills, O., ordnance plant will begin producing electrical starters for landing barges in May, the navy announced yesterday. The factory's production for the Remington Arms Co. has been tapering off because of a cut-back in small arms requirement, naval officers said. Delco-Remy division of General Motors will direct starter manufacture.

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An AAF Report on the Aviation Cadet Program

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Thanks to the fitness and alertness of these young men, they have learned their job so quickly that we have been able to throw our great airplane production into effective combat quicker than we believed possible. Due to their daring and skill we are destroying the enemy with less loss to our own forces than we anticipated.

All air crew men must have the irresistible desire to fly. Every such flying man in the AAF is there on his own initiative . . . in response to our invitation to fly and fight with "The Greatest Team in the World." Hundreds of thousands have thronged to our Aviation Cadet Examining Boards in response to this appeal. Thousands are continuing to volunteer . . . for active duty . . . and for the 17-year-old Air Corps Enlisted Reserve.

Our gratitude to the young men of America, and to [illegible]

Since last July the Selective Service process had not yielded enough men for all phases of the military program. Other branches of the army urgently need men for currently pending operations.

The AAF is ahead of schedule. It has sufficient men in training and in the Air Corps Enlisted Reserve to meet its present schedule for combat crews. It must therefore balance this activity with immediate over-all needs.

As General Marshall has announced, the AAF has returned to their former commands some 36,000 men who had recently volunteered for air crew training from the ground and service forces. Moreover, until further notice, the AAF will [illegible] men into active duty [illegible] for air crew [illegible] men in the [illegible] [illegible] for [illegible]

young man who wishes to join. But there are other considerations . . . *a balanced attack must be maintained.*

military age to prepare himself physically and mentally for his possible contribution to the defeat of our enemies and for his responsibilities in the post-war world.

We suggest, among other things, the physical training and other preparatory courses of the High School Victory Corps which are recommended for the various armed services, and the physical and pre-aviation training given to CAP Cadets by the nation-wide organization of the Civil Air Patrol, an auxiliary of the Army Air Forces.

The AAF current training program will, of course, continue. All men now enrolled in the Air Corps Enlisted Reserve will [illegible]

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KEY MAN LIST NAMED BY WPB

Classifications for Deferment Requests Drawn Up in 22-25 Year Group.

WASHINGTON, March 31—The war production board yesterday announced an official list of urgent manufacturing programs in which the WPB, Army, Navy and maritime commission will ask draft deferments for key men 22 through 25 years old.

Considerably larger than a previous tentative list compiled last week, yesterday's list represents those activities now considered most important in the light of immediate military needs.

The WPB, Army, Navy and maritime commission recommendations for deferments for men 22 through 25 will be limited to the following production items, including production of component parts for these items:

Army list—Amphibious "ducks"; tires and tubes (aircraft, combat and heavy-duty) including necessary tire cord, fabric and molds; radar; rockets; critical components for trucks 2 tons and heavier including truck trailers and class one and class two tractors; research and development work specifically assigned by the technical services; certain airplanes to be listed in detail later.

Navy list—Landing craft; rockets; submarines; aircraft carriers; high capacity ammunition; radar; maintenance of ships and aircraft for the fleet; certain airplanes, to be listed in detail later.

Maritime list—All tanker construction; combat-loaded cargo and transport ships (AKAS and APAS).

"Production of components (parts) in critical short supply for the above listed programs shall receive the same consideration as the end product listed, to the extent required in each plant," WPB said in a telegram to its regional directors.

Men under 22 were not mentioned in the announcement, and manufacturing programs not listed were apparently out in the cold as regards government agency support for deferments of workers under 26.

Even in the programs listed, the telegram made it clear that indorsement of employers' requests for deferments must be limited to specific individuals whose work "requires an extreme or specialized skill or knowledge or a high educational or specialized qualification; and then only when the individual employe is irreplacable from other less urgent work within the plant or by recruitment."

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11:00 a. m.—Worship.
7:30 p. m.—Youth fellowship.
8:00 p. m. Thursday, choir practice.

Ashley Community Methodist—Rev. T. I. Hanson, pastor.
10:00 a. m.—Sermon.
11:00 a. m.—Sunday school. R. B. Warner, superintendent.
6:30 p. m.—Young people's meeting. Lorraine Lee, president.
7:30 p. m.—Service.
2:00 p. m. Friday—Pre-Easter Prayer Service in church basement.

Ashley Pilgrim Holiness—Rev. John E. Dean, pastor.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Sermon.
8:00 p. m.—Sermon.
8:30 p. m. Wednesday — Prayer service.

Boundary Methodist—Rev. Arthur M. Bozler, pastor.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school. Alpha Lepp, superintendent.
11:00 a. m.—Worship.

Caledonia Church of Christ—Rev. C. H. Sturtevant, pastor.
10.00 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Sermon.
8:00 p. m.—Service.
7:30 p. m. Thursday—Bible study and family service.

Center U. B.—Rev. H. W. McCracken, pastor.
9:45 a. m.—Sunday school. Edgar Plant, superintendent.
7:30 p. m.—Children's Meeting.
8.00 p. m. Each Day—Evangelistic service. Rev. Lyon
7:30 p. m. Each Day—Children's Services.

Church of God—Green Camp. Mrs. Nella Earhart, pastor.
3:00 p. m.—Sunday school.
.00 p. m.—Praise meeting.
7:30 p. m.—Evangelistic service.
7:45 p. m. Thursday—Evangelistic service.

Climax U. B. Church—Rev. H. W. McCracken, pastor.
9:15 a. m.—Sunday school. Floyd Pangborn, superintendent.
11:00 a. m.—Worship.
8:00 p. m. Tuesday — Prayer service.

Climax Community Church—Woodrow Bell, pastor.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school. Virgil Pinghart, superintendent.
7:30 p. m.—Children's meeting.
8:00 p. m.—Evangelistic service.

Clyde Reformed Church, north of Martel—Rev. E. Agricola, pastor.
Fast Time.
9:45 a. m.—Worship.
10:15 a. m.—Sunday school. Muryl Schumaker, superintendent.

Denmark Methodist—Rev. Arthur M. Bozler, pastor.
9:00 a. m.—Worship.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school. Homer Sayers, superintendent.

Edison Methodist—Rev. Arthur M. Bozler, pastor.
9:00 a. m.—Sunday school. Kenneth Pfeiffer, superintendent.
10:00 a. m.—Worship.
6:00 p. m.—Youth Fellowship.
7:00 p. m. Wednesday — Midweek service
Evening service first Sunday of each month, 7:00 p. m.

Fairview U. B.—Rev. H. W. McCracken, pastor.
9:45 a. m.—Worship.
11:00 a. m.—Sunday school. Fred Miller, superintendent.
8:00 p. m. Thursday—Prayer group attend revival at Center church.

Grand Prairie Baptist—Rev. William Cook, pastor.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school. William Venens, superintendent.
5:00 p. m.—Preaching.
8:00 p. m. Wednesday — Prayer and Bible study.

Green Camp Baptist — Rev. Charles W. Harmon, pastor.
10:00 a. m.—Unified service. Sunday school, Mrs. Charles F. Jones, superintendent. Junior Church; Sermon.
7:00 p. m.—Youth Fellowship.

Green Camp Evangelical and Reformed—Rev. Edgar W. Guinther, pastor.
9:30 a. m.—Service.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school. Milton Ruth, superintendent.

Green Camp Methodist — Rev. T. A. Ballinger, pastor.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school. Wilford Porter, superintendent.
11:00 a. m.—Sermon, "The Triumphal Entry."
6:00 p. m.—Youth Fellowship.
8:00 p. m. Each Day — Special services.

Harpster Methodist — Rev. C. B. Doty, pastor.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school. Mrs. Alton Selple, superintendent.
8:00 p. m.—Worship.
7:30 p. m. Tuesday—Pre-Easter Revival Service.

Hepburn U. B. Church — Rev. Francis J. McCracken, pastor.
10:00 a. m.—Palm Sunday Baptismal Service.
11:00 a. m.—Sunday school. Earl Laubis, superintendent.
8:00 p. m. Wednesday, — Prayer service.

Hopewell U. B. Church — Rev. Francis J. McCracken, pastor.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school. L. F. Predmore, superintendent.
No Preaching.

Iberia Federated Church — Rev. Robert Rushing, pastor.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school. R. B. McAnall, superintendent.
11:00 a. m.—Worship.
7:30 p. m.—Young people's league.

Iberia Methodist Church — Rev. Charles H. Edgar, pastor.
9:30 a. m.—Worship.
10:30 a. m.—Sunday school, Elmer Leetham, superintendent.
7:45 p. m. Wednesday — Mid-week service.
First Tuesday of month—W. S. C. S.

LaRue Baptist Church—Rev. Basil Williams, pastor.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school. Mrs. Wilbur Miller, superintendent.
11:00 a. m.—Sermon.
8:00 p. m.—Service.
8:00 p. m. Wednesday — Prayer meeting.

LaRue Methodist — Rev. W. H. Bright, pastor.
Fast Time.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school. Riley Hoagland, superintendent; Bernard Littell, assistant. Special feature.
11:00 a. m.—Sermon, "The True Triumph of Christ." Baptism. Members received.
5:30 p. m. — Youth for Christ Week.
Service at Miss Mulvaine's.
7:00 p. m.—Illustrated sermon, "The Good Shepherd."
8:00 p. m. Wednesday — General W. S. C. S. meeting.
8:00 p. m. Thursday—Choir practice after service.
2:00 p. m. Friday—Good Friday service.

Little Sandusky Methodist—Rev. C. B. Doty, pastor.
9:30 a. m.—Communion.
7:30 p. m. Wednesday — Pre-Easter Revival Service.

Little York Methodist—Rev. G. O. Bennethum, pastor.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school.
10.30 a. m.—Worship.
7:30 p. m. Wednesday — Prayer.

Marseilles Presbyterian — Rev. Frank W. Duggan, pastor.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Sermon.

Martel Methodist Church — Rev. Charles H. Edgar, pastor.
10.00 a. m.—Sunday school. George Stevens, superintendent.
11:00 a. m.—Worship.
7:30 p. m.—Evangelical service.
7:45 p. m. Thursday — Prayer.
W. S. C. S. — First Thursday of month. All-day meeting.

Memorial Methodist, Caledonia—Rev. R. S. McCutchen, pastor.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:45 a. m.—Sermon.
6:30 p. m.—Youth Fellowship.
7:30 p. m.—Service.
7:30 p. m. Thursday — Mid-week service.
8:30 p. m. Thursday—Choir practice.

Morral Baptist—Rev. William L. Cook, pastor.
10.00 a. m.—Sunday school. Wilbur Parks, superintendent.
11:00 a. m.—Preaching.
8:30 p. m. Thursday night—Bible study and prayer service at parsonage.

Morral Methodist — Rev. Fred Rice, pastor.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school. W. W. Morral, superintendent; H. A. Duroche, assistant superintendent.
11:00 a. m.—Service.
8:00 p. m. Thursday — Prayer service.

Mt. Olive Methodist—Rev. T. A. Ballinger, pastor.
10:00 a. m.—Sermon, "The Triumphal Entry."
11:00 a. m.—Sunday school. M. L. Tilton, superintendent.

Nevada Evangelical Lutheran — Rev. Edward Ottason, pastor.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school. Myron Case, superintendent.
10.30 a. m.—Sermon.
6.30 p. m.—Luther league.

Nevada Methodist — Rev. G. O. Bennethum, pastor.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school. Jesse Miller, superintendent.

North Canaan Methodist — Rev. R. S. McCutchen, pastor.
9:30 a. m.—Worship.
10:30 a. m.—Sunday school.

Otterbein U. B. Church, Hepburn Charge, Rev. Francis J. McCracken, pastor.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school. Merritt Brown, superintendent.
11:00 a. m.—Worship. Baptismal service.

Prospect Evangelical and Reformed—Rev. Edgar W. Guinther, pastor.
9:45 a. m.—Sunday school. Miss Dorothy Horn, superintendent.
10:15 a. m.—Service.

Prospect St. Paul's Lutheran—Rev. Paul E. Dobberstein, pastor.
Fast Time.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school. Carl Russell, superintendent. Lesson, "Saul Becomes a New Man."
10:30 a. m.—Sermon, The Church's High Decision Day." Confirmation service.
5:00 p. m. Wednesday — Lenten services. Sermon, "Love, the Key to Christianity."
8:00 p. m. Thursday—Communion.
8:00 p. m. Friday—Final Lenten Service.

Prospect Methodist — Rev. J. R. Wynd, pastor.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school. Cloe Russell, superintendent.
10:30 a. m. — Special program. Consecration Sunday.
4:00 p. m.—Peace Forum.
7:30 p. m.—Service.
7:30 p. m. Wednesday — Bible Study.
8:00 p. m. Wednesday—Choir rehearsal.

Prospect Baptist — Rev. Russell Daubert, pastor.
9:30 a. m.—Church school. Mrs. Fred Wilson, superintendent.
10:30 a. m.—Sermon, "It Is Finished."
7:30 p. m.—Sermon, "The Unjust Judge."
7:00 p. m. Wednesday — Study of Baptist History.
8:00 p. m. Wednesday—Choir rehearsal.

Richwood Central Methodist — Rev. G. William Wilcher, pastor.
9:45 a. m.—Sunday school. Mason Tarrington, superintendent
10:45 a. m.—Junior church. Mrs. Wilcher in charge.
10:45 a. m.—Sermon.
7:00 p. m.—Young People's service. Mrs. Wilcher, sponsor.
8:00 p. m.—Evening worship. Sermon by pastor.
8:00 p. m. Wednesday—Mid-week prayer service.

Richwood Church of Christ — Richard C. Burton, pastor. F. A. Patrick, superintendent of Bible school.
9:45 a. m.—Bible school.
10:48 a. m.—Sermon.
7:00 p. m.—Sermon.
7:30 p. m.—Evening service.
7:30 p. m. Wednesday — Prayer and praise meeting.
8:30 p. m. Wednesday—Choir practice.

Richwood Methodist — Rev. E. E. Brewster, pastor.
9:45 a. m.—Sunday school. L. G. Zuspan, superintendent. Music by orchestra.
10:45 a. m.—Sermon.
10:48 a. m.—Junior church.
6:30 p. m. — Youth Fellowship meeting.

Richwood Pilgrim Holiness—Rev. J. A. Smith pastor.
1:30 p. m.—Sunday school. Harry Beamon, superintendent.
2:00 p. m.—Evangelistic service.
7:45 p. m.—Young People's meeting.
7:45 p. m.—Each day, evangelistic service.

Richwood Salvation Army — Robert Atkinson.
2:00 p. m.—Sunday school.
7:30 p. m.—Evening service.
7:45 p. m. — Wednesday, prayer service.

Shiloh Baptist Church—Rev. Earl Carroll, pastor.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school. Fred Baker, superintendent.
10:45 a. m.—Sermon.
7:45 p. m. — Thursday, prayer service.

Slatem Methodist, northwest of Martel—Rev. J. R. Moyer, pastor.
9.30 a. m.—Service.
10.30 a. m.—Sunday school. J. M. Neff, superintendent.

Thompson's Chapel — Rev. Woodrow Bell, pastor.
10.00 a. m.—Sunday school. Fred Reed, superintendent
11:00 a. m.—Sermon.
8:00 p. m. Wednesday — Prayer meeting.

Universalist, Caledonia—Rev. Stanley C. Hall, pastor.
2nd and 4th Sunday, 7:30 p. m.—Service.

Westfield Methodist—Rev. T. I. Hanson, pastor.
10.15 a. m.—Sunday School.
11:15 a. m.—Sermon, "Blind Bartimeus."

West Oxford—Rev. T. I. Hanson, pastor.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday School.

Wyandot Baptist—Lester R. Kidd, pastor.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Worship.
8:00 p. m.—Worship.
7:30 p. m. Wednesday — Prayer service.

Wyandot Methodist — Rev. C. B. Doty, pastor.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Communion, Baptism and Members Received.
8:00 p. m. Thursday—Pre-Easter Revival Service.

CHRISTLINE CHURCHES

A. M. E.—Rev. H. B. Brightman, pastor.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:00 a. m.—Worship.
7:00 p. m. — Thursday, prayer service.

First English Lutheran—Rev. Simon A. Metzger, pastor.
9:30 a. m.—Sermon.
10:30 a. m.—Sunday school.

First Methodist—Rev. O. F. Hull, pastor.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school
10:30 a. m.—Worship.

First Presbyterian — Rev. L. M. Swartz, pastor.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:30 a. m.—Sermon.

St. Joseph's Catholic—Rev. F. A. Slattery, pastor.
8:30, 7:30 and 9:30 a. m.—Sunday masses.
8:00 a. m.—Daily mass Monday through Friday; 7:30 a. m. Saturday.
7:30 p. m. Thursday—Novena devotions.

Trinity Evangelical Lutheran—Rev. Charles H. Lange, pastor.
9.00 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:00 a. m.—Sermon.
7.30 p. m.—Worship.

MARION RURAL AREA

Claridon Methodist—Rev. Donald Lyon, pastor.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school. Lawrence Douce, superintendent.
10:30 a. m.—Sermon.

Cappelle Community—Rev. Howard A. Hughes, pastor.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school. Fred Rush, superintendent.
11:00 a. m.—Sermon.
7:45 p. m.—Service.
7:45 p. m. Wednesday — Prayer service.

Kirkpatrick Christian—Rev. R. F. Strickler, pastor.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school. Vinal Likens, superintendent.
11:00 a. m.—Sermon, "The Holy Spirit."

Kirkpatrick Liberty Methodist—Rev. Donald Lyon, pastor.
9:00 a. m.—Sunday school. Eldon M. Beers, superintendent.
10:00 a. m.—Sermon.
7:00 p. m.—Young People's meeting.

Mosher Methodist—Rev. J. Paul Clark, pastor.
11:00 a. m.—Sunday school. Mrs. Scott, superintendent.
7:30 p. m.—Youth Fellowship.
8:00 p. m. Thursday—Choir rehearsal.

Pleasant Hill—Pleasant Hill road, northwest of Marion.
2:30 p. m.—Sunday school. Clarence Smith, superintendent.
Praise service before worship.
Service following Sunday school Evangelistic message by Rev. Dutt.

Richland Township St. John Evangelical and Reformed—
10:45 a. m.—Sunday school. Will Loyer, superintendent.

Salem Church of God — West of Marion, Gracely road. Rev. R. F. Smith, pastor.
10:45 a. m.—Service.
9:45 a. m.—Sunday school. Elmer Randolph, superintendent.
7:30 p. m.—Worship.
7:30 p. m. Wednesday — Prayer service.

Salem Evangelical, Beech — Rev. O. D Myers, pastor.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school. Omer Klinefelter, superintendent.
10:30 a. m.—Lent Message.
7:00 p. m.—Young People's meeting. "What Is the Kingdom of God?"
7:30 p. m.—Lent Message.
8:00 p. m. Each Day — Special services.

St. John Lutheran Church, Windfall—Rev. Harry Eamine, pastor.
Fast Time.
10.00 a. m.—Sunday school. Edward Helmlich, superintendent.
11:00 a. m.—Sermon, "The Cross and Human Failure."
8:00 p. m.—Better Christian Fellowship and Junior Mission Band.
8:00 p. m. Friday—Good Friday services. "Christ Endured Crucifixion for Me."

St. Paul Lutheran Church—Route 93. Rev. N. C. Schellhase, pastor.
10.30 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:15 a. m.—Sermon, "Giving Honor to Christ in His Passion." Communion.
8:00 p. m. Thursday — Lenten service, "Christ at Supper."

Trinity Lutheran Church—South of Pleasant school. Rev. N. C. Schellhase, pastor.
9:30 a. m.—Sermon, "Giving Honor to Christ in His Passion."
10:30 a. m.—Sunday school.
8:00 p. m. Thursday — Lenten service at St. Paul.

Waldo Methodist — Rev. Joseph Hoffman, pastor.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school. Henry Brandes, superintendent.
11:00 a. m.—Sermon.
7:30 p. m.—Youth Fellowship.

Waldo St. Joseph Evangelical and Reformed—
9:45 a. m.—Sunday school. Paul Fogel, superintendent.

Waldo St. Paul's Lutheran Church—Rev. S. C. Long, pastor.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school. Ralph Augenstein, superintendent.
10:30 a. m.—Sermon.

MAKE 4-F SURVEY

By The Associated Press

COLUMBUS, O., March 31—A United States employment service survey to determine how many Ohio men between the ages of 18 and 38 in 4-F draft classification are not in essential industry probably will be completed by tomorrow, a USES spokesman said today. It is estimated there are approximately 170,000 men in Ohio now in 4-F.

IMPORT FARM LABOR

By The Associated Press

PAINESVILLE, O., March 31—F. G. Haskins, Lake county farm agent, last night said 100 Jamaicans would arrive next month to help relieve a critical farm labor shortage.

DR. R. H. MILLER

NOON-DAY SERVICES SET FOR HOLY WEEK

Dr. R. H. Miller of Manchester, Ind., To Speak.

Dr. R. H. Miller, above, of Manchester college, Manchester, Ind., will speak at the noon-day Holy week services Monday through Thursday in downtown Marion. Services will be in the Marion theater each day from noon to 1 p. m. J. B. Ellis of Marion will lead singing.

A schedule with names of ministers presiding and in charge of Scriptures and prayer and those presenting special music follows:

Monday, Rev. E. M. Hertzler, Dr. S. M. Ingmire and Harding High school double quartet; Tuesday, Rev. Garrison Roebuck, Rev. R. W. Faulkner and Salvation Army brass quartet; Wednesday, Rev. Hertzler, Dr. Warren P. Behen and Eastside Mothersingers; Thursday, Rev. Roebuck, Rev. H. H. Wiertz and the United Brethren Men's chorus. Rev Hertzler president of the Marion County Council of Churches and Rev. Roebuck of the Marion County Ministerial association sponsors the service.

Those attending may come and go quietly at intervals of pause if necessary, and freewill offerings may be left in the hall before or after the services in baskets provided for the purpose, it was announced.

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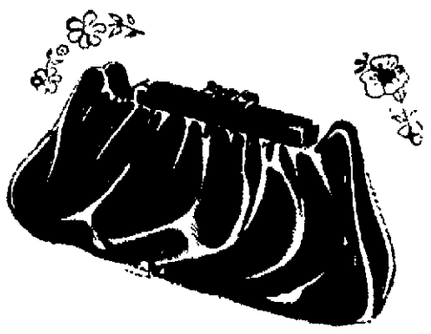

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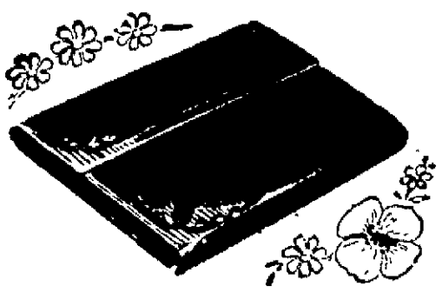

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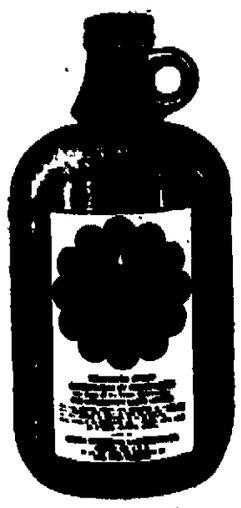

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Around About Marion

There's Something of Interest in Every Line

MISCONDUCT CHARGED
George H. Jacobs, 63, of 418 West Grand avenue was arrested by police at Grand and Mark streets last night at about 9:30 and charged with disorderly conduct.

JUMP'S HAT SHOP
★Featuring Newest Millinery Arrivals. 229 W. Center St.—Ad.

DRIVER FINED
Robert Cartell of Columbus was fined $10 and costs when he appeared in municipal court yesterday to plead guilty to a charge of driving without a chauffeur's license. He was arrested by state highway patrolmen yesterday morning on Route 23 south of Marion.

EASTER FLOWERS
★A large variety of potted plants. See the Fairview Gardens. Open this evening and Sunday. 433 W. Farmers. Dial 5742.—Ad.

TIRE SHOP LOOTED
Approximately $18 was stolen from Mosier's tire shop on North Main street when the building was entered some time between 9:45 p. m. yesterday and 7 a. m. today. The shop was entered either through a rear window or door, according to police reports. A four-way tire wrench was also missed.

KERRIGAN HAS SEVERAL
★Large size Men's Suits in good condition, for sale, at 151 N. Main.—Ad.

AUTO LOOTED
R. J. Nicolosi of 464 Summit street reported to police yesterday at 6:30 p. m. that the glove compartment of his car had been ransacked and his gasoline ration book, tire inspection record and certificate of title were missing.

EASTER GIFTS
★Heart shield Bibles, book marks, crosses and plaques. Dial 6686. Mrs. Weaver.—Ad.

GRANGE MEETS
Members of United Grange met Tuesday night at the Grange hall for a meeting and program. Four applications for membership were received. On the program were a trumpet solo by Loren Fulton accompanied by his mother, Mrs. Chester Fulton, a play by Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Herr and Ferdinand Lawrence and a reading by Mrs. Clay Smith followed by the grand march and folk games. The next meeting will be held April 11 at 8:30 p. m. fast time.

PATTERN HATS FOR EASTER
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3 REMAIN IN HOSPITAL
BUCYRUS — Three Bucyrus women injured in the army bus accident March 13 near Crestline in which 33 Bucyrus men and women were involved, remain under doctor's care in Crestline Emergency hospital. All received spinal injuries. Those still hospitalized are Mrs. Homer Dempsey, Mrs. Robert Benzenberg and Mrs. Fern VanDan. Mrs. Auburn McGraw was dismissed from the hospital Wednesday. All are wives of soldiers stationed at Camp Millard and were employed at the Shelby depot. They were enroute to their work when the bus on which they were riding skidded on the icy highway and overturned in the ditch. Thirteen were hospitalized with injuries.

CARD OF THANKS
★We wish to thank friends and neighbors for the many kindnesses shown us during the illness and death of our son, grandson, and nephew. Especially do we wish to thank Rev. Olewiler for his words of comfort.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Putman
Mr. and Mrs. Albert J. Juelke
Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd A. Smith

BODIES SENT TO TENNESSEE
BUCYRUS — Bodies of Tory Clyde Kirkham, 17 and Claude Groves, 12, killed when their car was struck by a fast Pennsylvania passenger train at a Bucyrus crossing Tuesday night, are on their way to Portland, Tenn. for burial. The boys, who were neighbors, met their death while enroute to the country to buy milk. A younger brother of the Groves youth, escaped with minor bruises and cuts.

CARD OF THANKS
★We wish to express our sincere thanks to all friends and relatives for the many deeds of kindness shown us, and for the beautiful floral offerings during the illness and death of our wife, mother and sister. Also to Rev. Wynd and Mr. Gehm for their kind words and efficient service.
Harley T. Johnston
Francine Johnston
Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Lauer

REPORTED NAZI PRISONER
MARYSVILLE—Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gamble of near Marysville received a post card Thursday from their son, Pvt. Clarence Gamble, stating that he was a German prisoner. He had been reported by the war department on Jan. 23 as being missing in action. Pvt. Gamble, a member of a medical detachment in Italy, stated that he was all right and that his parents could communicate with him through the Red Cross.

CARD OF THANKS
★We desire to express our sincere thanks to Rev. Father Spickerman, Dr. Boxwell, the blood donors, Miss Hoffman and other nurses of the Marion City hospital, Mr. Charles Gallaher, and all friends and neighbors who sent flowers and spiritual boquets, or assisted us in any way during the illness and death of our dear husband and father, Michael E. Friedel.
Mrs. Pearl Friedel
and Family.

MOTHER DIES
Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Isenbarger of 615 Wood street were called to Wapakoneta today because of the death of Mrs. Isenbarger's mother, Mrs. James Oswalt, 78, who died at her home there this morning. She was bedfast since Dec. 24. She leaves, besides the daughter, Mrs. Isenbarger, whom she visited a number of times here, three grandchildren and a sister, Mrs. Fred Yiesley of St. John.

DETRICK'S COFFEE SHOP
★Serves special Chicken Dinners on Saturday in Kumfort Hotel.—Ad.

RETURNS HOME
Mrs. Pearl Burrell of 707 Wood street returned to her home yesterday from Mt. Carmel Hospital in Columbus, where she underwent a major operation two weeks ago.

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CASE DISMISSED
An assault and battery charge filed against William H. Welch, 63, of 257 Waterloo street was dismissed in municipal court Wednesday. Judge Dexter Hazen said lack of evidence was the reason. Welch was arrested on the charge, filed by his wife, Tuesday morning just after he had pleaded guilty to an intoxication charge on which he had been arrested by city police on the preceding day.

WELDING EQUIPMENT
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PALM SUNDAY SERVICE
A special Palm Sunday sermon will be given by Rev. N. C. Schellhase Sunday in St. Paul and Trinity rural Lutheran churches and Holy communion will be observed by the St. Paul congregation. The subject will be "Giving Honor to Christ in His Passion." The service at Trinity church will be at 9:30 a. m. and at St. Paul at 11:15. A joint Lenten service will be held at St. Paul church Thursday at 8 p. m. The subject will be "Jesus at Supper."

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CONDITION FAIR
The condition of Miss Ruth Peterson of 320 Olney avenue who underwent a major operation Wednesday at City hospital was reported fair today.

SPIRITUALIST SERVICES
★Memorial Church, Hotel Harding, Sunday, 7:45 p. m. Mid-week services Wednesday at Christman Bldg., Fairground and State, 7:30 p. m. Rev. M. O. Smith of Columbus in charge. Public invited.—Ad.

AT PLEASANT HILL
Mrs. Mary Burroughs of Marion will be in charge of Sunday school at Pleasant Hill church, northwest of Marion, Sunday at 2:30 p. m. Special music will be a part of the program. Rev. Clarence Smith, associate pastor, will bring the evangelistic message, following which Holy Communion will be observed. After the regular services, William Briggs of Marion will lead a praise and prayer meeting.

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OPERATION PERFORMED
Mrs. William Darnell of Maple street underwent an operation for a kidney ailment Monday in University hospital, Columbus. She is improving slowly Mr. Darnell reported today.

MARION COUNTY
★Young Republican Club meeting Monday night, April 3rd. Nomination of officers, speakers, refreshments.—Ad.

CLASS ENTERTAINED
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Koch of Patten street entertained the Golden Rule Sunday School class of Greenwood Evangelical church Thursday night. Leland Thorpe offered prayer. Scripture was read by Lester Moury, president of the class. It was decided to hold a "white elephant" sale at the next class meeting. Refreshments were served by the hostess. Mr. and Mrs. Morris Matteson of Farming street will entertain the group next month.

SPECIAL PROGRAM
★Of Medley - Hymn - Singing, Solos, and a lecture on the customs and religious beliefs of the Amish people, by Prof. J. W. Yoder, Gipsy Smith Campaign Music Director, on Saturday, April 1, at 7:30 p. m. in First Church of the Brethren, E. Church St. and Reed Ave.—Ad.

COMMUNION SERVICES
Communion services will be held in the Little Sandusky and Wyandot Methodist churches Sunday morning at 9:30 a. m. and 11. Baptism and reception of new members will be a part of the serivce at the Wyandot church. At the Harpster church worship will be held at 8 p. m. Lenten services will be held at 8 p. m. Tuesday in the Harpster church, Wednesday at the Little Sandusky church and Thursday at the Wyandot church. Rev. C. B. Doty is pastor.

CARD OF THANKS
★We wish to express our thanks and appreciation to our friends and neighbors for their sympathy and kindness, and the beautiful floral offerings during the death of our husband and father, Mr. James Clinton Lowry, and to Rev. Olewiler, Mr. M. H. Gunder and son and to the pallbearers for their kind assistance.
Mrs. James C. Lowry
and Children.

SERVICES AT WALDO
A class of adults will be confirmed at St. Paul Lutheran church at Waldo Sunday in the service at 10:45 a. m. Lenten services will be conducted at the church at 7:30 p. m. Rev. S. C. Long will be in charge.

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ENTERS HOSPITAL
Donald Demorest of near Waldo was admitted to City hospital this morning suffering from appendicitis.

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HOSPITAL PATIENT
Julia Retterer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Retterer of 374 Girard avenue is in City hospital for medical care.

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HAS OPERATION
Thomas Winston of near Marion underwent an operation at City hospital this morning.

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SURGERY PATIENT
Mrs. Jack Weaver of 172 West Columbia street underwent surgery this morning in City hospital.

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MAJOR OPERATION
Mrs. Margaret Whitenack of 280 Ballentine underwent a major operation at City hospital this morning.

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IN HOSPITAL
Mrs. Harry Reynolds of Prospect was admitted to City hospital last night for treatment.

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HEPBURN SERVICES
The rite of baptism will be administered at the Palm Sunday services in the Hepburn and Otterbein U. B. churches Sunday at 10 a. m. and 11. Rev. Francis J. McCracken is pastor. A new Children's division has been organized for the Hepburn Sunday school which will meet at 11.

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MRS. FRABER RITES
Funeral services for Mrs. John J. Fraber of Mt. Victory, O., were conducted yesterday afternoon at the Boyd and Uncapher funeral home on West Columbia street by Rev. M. E. Hollensen of Emanuel Lutheran church. Burial was in Forest Glen Memorial park. Mrs. Fraber died at her home Monday.

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MORRIS FUNERAL
Funeral services for Bert Morris of 159 Franconia avenue were conducted yesterday afternoon at the Radnor Baptist church by Ernest A. Finkenbiner, pastor of Emmanuel Baptist church, Marion. Burial was at Radnor. Mr. Morris died at his home Sunday.

USED SEWING MACHINES
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PROSPECT SERVICES
A Palm Sunday confirmation service will be held in St. Paul Lutheran church at Prospect Sunday at 10:30 a. m. fast time. A class of adults and children will be received into communicant membership by the confirmation rite by the pastor, Rev. Paul E. Dobberstein. The choir will sing "Hosanna!" and Rev. Dobberstein will preach on "The Church's High Decision Day." Holy week services will be held Wednesday, Thursday and Friday at the church. For a Lenten service Wednesday at 8 p. m. the sermon will be "Love—the Key to Christianity," a service of Holy Communion will be observed on Maundy Thursday at 8 p. m. with Rev. Dobberstein talking on "The Great Supper of God" and the Good Friday service at 8 p. m. will mark the final Lenten service with the sermon, "The Barrier Removed." Plans are being made for a sunrise service and Easter breakfast on Easter with members of the Luther League and youth of the church in charge. Communion and baptism will be conducted Easter.

SEWING LESSONS
★War Budget sewing lessons, enroll now, new classes starting. Singer Sewing Center, 150 S. Main. Dial 6142.—Ad.

TO CHANGE TIME
UPPER SANDUSKY—Upper Sandusky will move its clocks forward one hour at midnight Saturday night to eastern war time continuing from Sunday morning, April 2, until Sunday, Oct. 1.

TREE SURGERY
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ARCHIVES SERVICE FOR CRESTLINE
CRESTLINE—Harry E. Knepp of Crestline, who assumed the service of the Pennsylvania railroad company at the age of 19 on Nov. 8, 1881, was presented with a service pin for 50 years service with the railroad in Fort Wayne Tuesday.

HELD IN GAS THEFT
MARYSVILLE — Donald W. Orris, 20, and his brother, Daniel E. Orris, 17, of Columbus, are being held in Union county jail awaiting arraignment on charges of breaking and entering culminating from the theft of two 15-gallon drums of gasoline from the farm home of Clinton Sprague of southern Union county.

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PROSPECT GROUP MEETS
The Katherine Luther Guild and Missionary Aid Society of St. Paul's Lutheran church of Prospect held a Lenten study class Sunday evening at the church in charge of Mrs. Clarence Hietzman. A book, "Strong as the People," was reviewed by Mrs. Lloyd Bensley, Mrs. Hietzman, Mrs. James Lauer and Mrs. Ed. Lauer. Piano selections were given by Mrs. Paul Smith. Rev. Dobberstein led devotions and prayer.

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GRANGE TIME CHANGED
A change in meeting time for Montgomery Grange, effective with the next meeting, was announced at a regular session Tuesday night in the DeCliff hall. The time will be changed from 8:30 to 9 p. m. A group of new candidates will be received at the next meeting at which time Bowling Green Grange will bring the traveling candle to Montgomery members.

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GRANGE MEETS
Kirkpatrick Grange met Tuesday night. It was decided to have an attendance contest with William Knowles and Earl Speece as leaders. The contest will start the next meeting and last two quarters. The side which looses will furnish a supper for the winners. The program consisted of group singing, games and contests. Junior Speece won two prizes.

PUBLIC SALE FRIDAY
★7 p. m. at Williams Auction, 123 E. Mill. A large list of household goods will be sold.—Ad.

TO ATTEND CONFERENCE
W. C. Batchelor, secretary-treasurer of The Hydraulic Press Mfg. Co. of Mt. Gilead, will be one of the 25 Ohio industrial executives who will attend a conference in Florida designed to aid in establishing sound human and industrial relations between the nation's workers and managers, according to a press release from the National Association of Manufacturers of New York. The four-day conference will open April 3 at the Royal Worth hotel, West Palm Beach. More than 160 delegates from 32 states and the District of Columbia are expected to attend.

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ICE CAUSES ACCIDENT
Icy street surface resulted in an accident on Lee street at 6:40 a. m., police reported. A parked car owned by Harold E. Scheitler of 519 Lee street was slightly damaged when it was struck by a truck owned by the C. & O. Railroad and driven by Frank V. Cratchfield of Columbus.

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TO ELECT OFFICERS
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TIME CHANGES SUNDAY
MARYSVILLE — Union county will adopt fast time Sunday but the courthouse clock will remain on slow time at least until Monday when the county commissioners have their regular meeting and consider the issue. Last year the clock remained on slow time while the rest of the city clocks showed fast time.

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POLICE HOLD WAR WORKER IN ATTACK WITH HATCHET

Michigan Man Confesses Assault on Step-Daughter.

By The Associated Press

LANSING, Mich., March 31—State police today held James Riley Gillihan, 46-year-old Lansing war worker, whom they said admitted he tried to slay with a hatchet a young woman whose mother he had married so he could be near the girl.

Sergeant Lawrence M. Meehan of the state police said the victim, Margaret McUmber, 23, was in critical condition, her skull crushed by several blows with a hatchet.

Gillihan surrendered to city police last night, Meehan said, quoting the man as having announced "I just killed a woman." He said officers found Miss McUmber unconscious in the residence where she had lived with her mother and Gillihan just outside the city.

Meehan said Gilligan told a bizarre story that he and Miss McUmber were sweethearts, but became estranged several years ago. He said Gillihan related that at the girl's suggestion he married her mother, Mrs. Ludma McUmber, 41, and that since then he and the young woman had been intimate but that recently she had refused to accept his attentions.

The weight of the Washington monument is more than 81,000 tons.

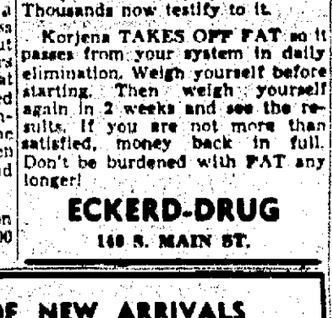
Marion Man Hurt When Hit by Car

William S. Burkepile, 69, of 311 Milburn avenue suffered head cuts and an injury to his left leg when he was struck last night by a car, police reported today. The name of the driver was not learned.

The accident occurred as he was walking across George street to get into a friend's car. He was admitted to City hospital for treatment and his condition was reported as "fair" this morning.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Mac Rinnert of Prospect are parents of a son born this morning at City hospital.



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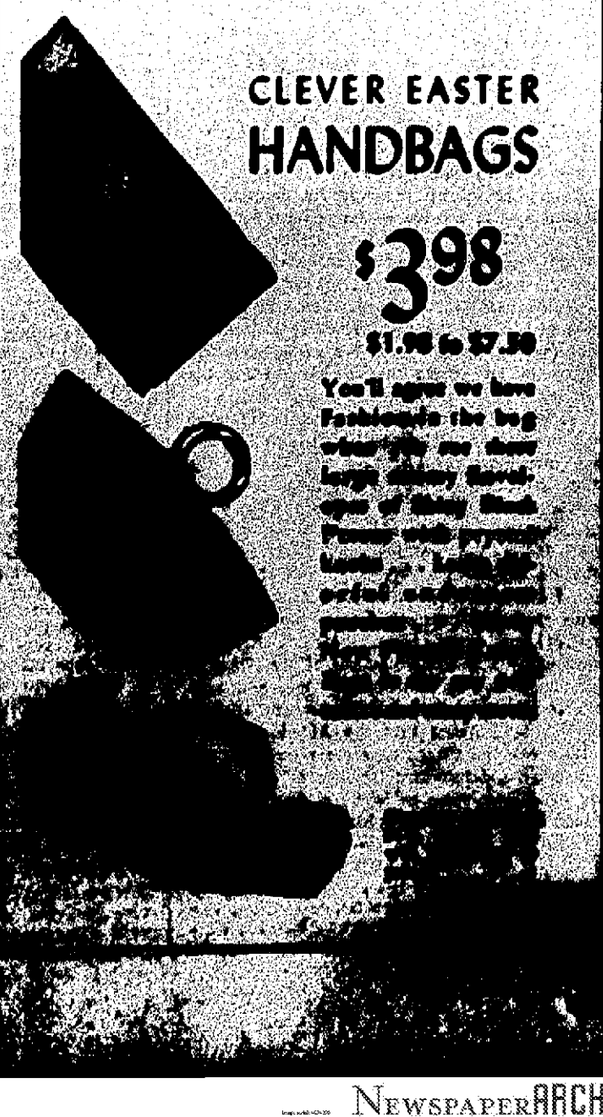

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Area of Agreement on Manpower

WHILE officially President Roosevelt's approval of a national service act is still the government's position on solving the manpower problem, there is no well defined area of agreement in the administration. Manpower Chief McNutt is skeptical of a national service act. Undersecretary of War Patterson, one of the earliest advocates of national service, is still for it, but the idea has gained no strong support among Democrats in congress.

Thus, in effect, Mr. Roosevelt's declaration, instead of being the position of his administration, has become a personal opinion, leaving other spokesmen for the majority free to differ with it. The result in congress and on the public in general is to add confusion to confusion Until it is known what the party in power is prepared to back up in the way of a solution, there is slight possibility of joining the issue and coming to a decision.

As matters stand now, it is universally conceded that unless something constructive is done about manpower shortages in critical areas and critical industries, there probably will be serious trouble. But as long as there is no purposeful effort to meet the problem more than half way —as long as it continues to be handled like a hot potato—the trouble seems inevitable.

Oklahoma Straw Vote

ROBERT E. Hannegan, young chairman of the Democratic national committee, is spoofing, of course, when he says Republican inability to carry the second Oklahoma congressional district Tuesday explodes the myth of a nationwide Republican trend. The district has gone Republican once in 30 years—the Harding landslide. It normally goes Democratic by some 15,000 votes; it went Democratic Tuesday by approximately 4,000 votes, after the Roosevelt administration had turned loose no less a political siege gun than Sen. Barkley, Democratic leader of the senate, to make the district safe for big-d-Democracy. Mr. Hannegan and the party's wiser and older heads know that a 4,000 majority doesn't give them anything to take for granted.

But the result does explode one myth. Republican victory next November isn't automatic, as some Republicans fancied, after Kentucky elected a Republican governor. In Oklahoma, the party began to tangle with the first team: Sen. Barkley is as big as they come. Republicans learned the truth of what Democrats have claimed about the other by-elections they have lost—that it would be different when the administration was directly involved. The Oklahoma voting was a straight New Deal test. Nothing else was involved. The voters knew they were being-watched.

In Oklahoma, political allegiances sit lightly. Geographically a southern state, it voted for Harding in 1920. In 1924 it was back in the Democratic column. In 1928, it refused to plump for Al Smith and gave Hoover a thumping majority. It went for Mr. Roosevelt three to one in 1932; two to one in 1936, three to two in 1940. In 1942, it elected a Republican senator. In 1944—in a by-election—it has elected a Democratic representative in a district that only elected a Republican once before in its history. If we were Mr. Hannegan we wouldn't give better than 100 to 1 odds on Oklahoma being safe for next November, regardless of exploded myths.

The Greater Danger at Cassino

GREATER than the danger of military stalemate at Cassino is the possibility of Allied prestige being ransomed there at too great a cost. President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Churchill may be tempted to relieve the pressure of public opinion by breaking the deadlock with a Pyrrhic victory.

History points up this specific danger, because it was in a drive on Rome from southern Italy in 281 B.C. that King Pyrrhus won the victory over the Romans whose exorbitant cost gave the world the expression, Pyrrhic victory. Cassino is not worth a repetition. In neither the military nor the political sense is it to be compared with Stalingrad, for instance, where victory at any price was a bargain for the Russians.

The possibility of the Germans doing more than creating a stalemate at Cassino has not been mentioned so far; they are keeping the Allies from going forward but there seems no question of Allied ability to keep them from regaining the territory they lost south of Cassino. It is the political, not the military, situation which threatens to get out of control. To the extent that speculation on Allied strategy seems to demand an effort to sweep past Cassino at any price, the speculation, itself, is dangerous. The main business of the Allies is Germany's defeat, and Cassino has relatively little bearing on that. Hitler cannot salvage his war by proving that the Allied campaign in Italy was not staged on a scale great enough to dislodge a determined German defense. The loss of Allied prestige is unfortunate, but it cannot be called catastrophic.

ON THE BANDWAGON

Never one to ignore the significance of passing events, the man Franco is expected any day now to observe, "Well, I see us Allies are winning."—Detroit News.

News Behind the News

Health Not Expected To Interfere With Possible Roosevelt Fourth Term

By PAUL MALLON

WASHINGTON, March 31—The yarns being spun into print about Mr. Roosevelt's health all raise a prospect that he will not run for the fourth terms.

Whatever his health, the prospects are being overdrawn. A condition has been established in the Democratic party whereby no one can run but Mr. Roosevelt. From every practical standpoint, therefore, he already has compelled himself to run.

Another related story is that he will get the nomination and resign in favor of the vice president, or be elected and so resign. Practical politics never works that way either.

True, the vice presidential nomination may be more important this year than normally. Also, Mr. Roosevelt may be induced to bring more forceful and active men into his surrounding background picture, to ease the personal strain. But Presidents do not resign, for any cause, including health, and never will.

Like Third Term Talk

What strikes me as extraordinary about the stories is that they are circulated by his friends (worshipful Aubrey Williams is among those quoted), and the very same stories were circulated at exactly this stage of the third term campaign.

From a political standpoint, they apparently serve a good purpose. They seek to remove entirely any self-seeking aspect. They put his continuance in office on the ground of self-sacrifice, instead. Thus, they remove one of the greatest popular defects to this candidacy, even if they also cast some doubt on his ability to continue.

Labor Draft Fades

Drivers from the labor draft bill (national service) were flabbergasted when Mr. Roosevelt's production lieutenant, Donald Nelson, came out against it—especially as they were trying to organize a new public sentiment behind it.

When one of the authors of the bill was asked if this implied that Roosevelt was cooling toward the proposition, he replied:

"I wonder too."

While Mr. Roosevelt energetically indorsed the bill at the outset of the congressional session, he has not lifted a finger, even privately, for it since. Some of his friends have thought it was hardly wise to champion a bill so strongly opposed by labor in a campaign year.

Consequently, the congressional advocates are turning to the Clare Booth-Luce idea of using 4-F draft-deferred men in essential industries, or some alternative plan.

In my opinion, the labor draft failed because its sponsors were not able to make out a case of need for such a tragic departure from democartic ways. Mr. Nelson, for instance, says we are nearing the peak of production with actually surpluses of manpower in some areas, although there are shortages in others. He thought the bill would do more harm than good.

Military Promotions

Publicity about the senate military affairs committee holding up the promotion of 14 top army officers has largely concerned Lt. Gen. Patton, who slapped a shell-shocked private. Main one of the 14, about whom the committee is doubtful, however, is General Somervell (permanently advanced from colonel to major- general).

Somervell is responsible for the over-expenditures in the Pentagon building, and is a friend of Harry Hopkins, to whom was attributed the movement some months back to send Chief of Staff Marshall abroad so Somervell could become chief of staff.

Patton's advancement to permanent major-general may be approved because he is in command of another army, but a majority of the committee has been at least temporarily lined up against Somervell.

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A Look at the Future Peace

Cox Recalls Past as Guide Ahead.

James M. Cox, three-time governor of Ohio, carried the issue of United States membership in the League of Nations to the people in the presidential election campaign of 1920, when he was the Democratic nominee. Franklin D. Roosevelt was his running mate. A close associate of President Wilson, Governor Cox supported the league as an instrument of peace.

(Now, as we move toward the end of another war, the subject of this country's international politics is of great interest. On the occasion of his 74th birthday, The Associated Press asked Governor Cox to express his views on the past and the future.)

JAMES M. COX

By JAMES M. COX

MIAMI, Fla., March 31—My thinking of the peace now is as it was in 1920. The star that Woodrow Wilson followed is still my light and guide. He warned us in words that are now prophecy fulfilled. I cannot believe, following these years of torment and suffering, that a civilized world will permit to be destroyed the noblest project conceived by mankind. Nor can there be, in the face of our tragic mistake, another triumph in this country for a political cabal such as blasted our hopes a quarter of a century ago. But there is a task to be completed first. We cannot insure the future without first dealing with the present.

There is much to be done at home and the gravity and extent of the things to be done here will become more apparent with each day. I wish I had the facility to tie thought into phrase in such a way as to convey to all of us what is deep rooted in the minds and souls of the brave men and women on the battle fronts. We have not been as faithful to our defenders as they have been to us. There are countless numbers of individual exceptions, but by and large we can't be proud of ourselves

We Resent Discomforts

We have feasted so long at the table of the gods that we cease to regard our fortune as a gift, but take it rather as a right. When emergency compels any trespass upon our bounty, we do not respond with our better selves. We complain and criticize. As our comforts and conveniences are disturbed, demagogs try to take our minds from the nation's great achievements of war to things so little and so relatively unimportant that we should reproach ourselves for even thinking of them. This leads us to nag and hamper our leaders with energies that might better be employed against the enemy. Thousands of us presume to know more about the direction of armies than General Marshall and of naval strategy than Admiral King. We should long ago have learned the dangers of such back seat driving. Our assumption of superior knowledge runs in other directions too. We are reading in the press and hearing over the radio a continuing inquiry into the necessary secrets of the war movement. What went on at the conferences at Cairo and Teheran? What did Roosevelt say to Stalin? What did Stalin say to Churchill? And so on and on. A man from Mars might easily assume that we think these leaders are stupid or unfaithful when the facts are obviously otherwise.

Something to Remember

We need to remember that a very delicate situation existed with respect to the relations among our allies. Russia trusted no one because no one trusted Russia. We have advanced far from that state of things and can anyone deny the vast military advantages that have accrued from the agreements which have been reached? There will doubtless be future differences to adjust, but I have never known a personal quarrel to be bettered by neighborhood meddling. Too many editors, columnists and commentators demand the details of the most confidential situation. What could they do about it if they knew? There would be wide differences of opinion not only as among them, but their readers and hearers as well. There would be no agreement, no solution, only worse confusion. We must trust our leaders. A million commanders cannot win a war.

Recently I heard upon the air a statement like this: We are a free people; we intend to remain free; we mean to know all about what is going on and in furtherance of this shall persist in our inquisition. Some of our editors, columnists, commentators and politicians seem to believe that unless they constantly inquire into what must be confidential matters and throw doubt on all that is done, their usefulness and omniscience might be questioned.

Recalls News Experience

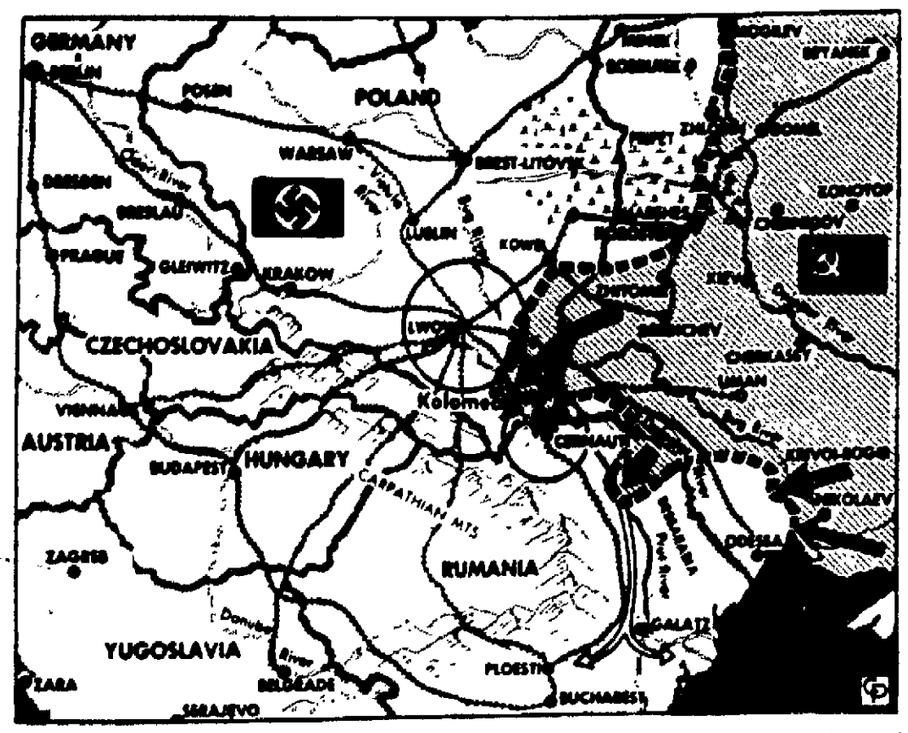
For more than fifty years I have been in the newspaper business and it is needless to assert that I have always regarded freedom of the press, as now we should add, of the radio too, as an essential element of democracy. However if this freedom is abused, then journalists who revere the fine traditions of our profession, should be the first to resent it. It is easier for those who neither sense nor respect plain inhibitions to make mystery and suspicion out a silence compelled by sheer military emergency. It is not sufficient to say that this is unpatriotic. If it prolongs the war a single day and adds to our casualty list the life of a single one of our gallant youths, then it is difficult to find the adequate word of condemnation.

Every member of our military forces back from overseas, with whom I have talked, tells me that in the hour of peril he was in communion with his God. I am wondering whether the rest of us would not better be closer to God and seek removal of the pettiness of our natures. Let us ask Him to destroy the idols of our partisan politics. Well might we ask him to make us deserve the coming fruits of a tranquil world.

In the first World war we fought for the preservation for democracy. That is what we are striving for now. That is what the boys at the front are fighting for. It is for us, by putting patriotism above politics to demonstrate that democracy can be made to work in war; and then, after peace has come, to work in the adjustments of a lasting peace.

Arizona's eight national forests have a total area of more than 11,000,000 acres.

NAZIS FACE LOSS OF VITALLY NEEDED LINES



Red army forces have fought their way into the outskirts of Cernauti, capital of Bucovina, and have captured Kolomea, Prut river railway town only 30 miles from Czechoslovakia. These gains threaten Lwow, vast railway center, loss of which would be a terrific blow to the Germans. Note communications lines from Lwow to Krakow and Berlin and southward, through Cernauti to Ploesti, Bucharest and north again to Budapest. Arrows designate other Soviet advances.

From News of Other Years

TEN YEARS AGO

It was Saturday, March 31, 1934. The Civil Works administration, which had provided federal work relief jobs for hundreds in Marion county, passed out of existence and a new government agency, FERA (federal emergency relief administration) took its place.

J. W. Nelson, 73, retired after 45 years in business in Marion. At different times he had been in the grocery, jewelry and optical shop business.

O. D. Sheldon, 56, resigned as police chief of Kenton less than 24 hours after he had been reinstated by order of Common Pleas Judge Hamilton E. Hoge following a three-month fight to remove him.

Eugene S. Smith, 60, print shop operator, died at his home on South Main street.

Miss Mary Jo Stafford of Hane avenue, a student at Ohio State university, was spending the week-end at her home.

Miss Jean Snyder entertained the L. S. D. club at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Emmet Burnett of Chicago avenue.

Mrs. Eleanora Williams, 84, former Marion resident, died at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Lillian Owens of Toledo.

TWENTY YEARS AGO

It was Monday, March 31, 1924. Six lives were lost in a flood of the Potomac river in western Maryland and parts of Virginia and West Virginia.

Colonel George R. Harvey announced his national Democratic slate for 1924, his selection being Senator Joseph T. Robinson of Arkansas for president and Gov. George S. Silzer of New Jersey for vice president. His announcement was regarded as somewhat significant in view of the fact that he was recognized as the original "Wilson man" and had considerable to do with the nomination of the late President Harding.

It was announced that 50 men would be added to the track forces of the Hocking Valley railway the following day for renewal of work between Columbus and Upper Sandusky.

Members of the Woman's club were entertained by the president, Miss Winona A. Hughes, at her home on West Church street.

World War a Year Ago

MARCH 31, 1943
By The United Press

In Tunisia, British Eighth Army captures Metouia and Oudref beyond Gabes; to the north, the British First Army seizes Sedjanane.

U. S. Flying Fortresses bomb harbor and shipbuilding area of Rotterdam.

British Admiralty announces sinking of six Axis supply ships and damage to four others by British submarines in Mediterranean.

Italian Government announces decree providing machinery for placing country under martial law "instantaneously."

Russians announce capture of Anastasevsk, a "base of utmost importance" to German defense of Novorossilsk, on the Black sea.

In Cuba, Cabinet is reshuffled.

Daily Bible Thought

If you have wisdom you can probably buy all the rubies you need, but we have seen plenty of people bedecked with rubies and diamonds who had very little wisdom. Wisdom is worth a very great price: "Wisdom is better than rubies."—Proverbs 8:11.

Pacifism and Christianity

By Right Rev. William T. Manning

This is the text of a widely quoted letter to The New York Times by Bishop Manning of New York, commenting on a protest by other clergymen against the bombing of cities.

THERE has been wide discussion of the protest published by 28 ministers of religion and others against the present bombing of cities in Germany.

As a minister of the Christian church, may I express through your columns my profound disagreement with the position taken in that protest, a disagreement which I believe is shared by the vast majority of the ministers of all churches in our land? I have great respect for the signers of that protest individually, but the protest which they have issued is spiritually and morally a gravely harmful one. It is morally confusing and weakening to our people at a moment when they need every support that religion can give them; it depreciates and casts a doubt upon the heroic service of the men in our armed forces who are giving their lives for us and for others; it gives aid and comfort to the aggressors and evil doers in this world conflict, and it tends to discredit religion by giving the impression that the pacifist position is the true Christian position.

The pacifist principle, the principle of "peace at any price," is not the Christian principle. The Christian religion teaches that there are evils worse than bodily suffering and death, and that there are things which we must uphold and defend, even at the cost of life itself, and it is on this principle that our airmen and all the men in our armed forces are giving their lives.

All of us abhor war quite as deeply as do the signers of this protest. All of us are grieved and horrified at the destruction and suffering which war brings. Our airmen have no desire to bomb cities or to kill civilians, but this is brought upon us by the forces of aggression, cruelty and terror which we are fighting, and those evil forces have it in their power to end the bombing of their cities at any moment by giving up their evil aims and oppressions and laying down their arms.

But as matters stand, the bombing of cities which are military objectives, fearful as this is, is only a necessary and inescapable part of our whole effort to end the war, to stop the bloodshed, cruelty and suffering, to liberate the enslaved and tortured peoples and to open the way for a just and righteous peace and for such cooperation and fellowship of the peace-loving nations as shall safeguard the world against another such outbreak of barbarism.

If the war is to be shortened and the world freed from this assault of brutality and terror, what substitute can the signers of this protest suggest for the bombing of cities which are military objectives, terrible and grievous as we all feel this to be?

Consider the Lily

While considering the lilies of the field that toil not neither do they spin, advises Business Week, also consider the industry which has grown up about them, especially since the war ended Japan's virtual monopoly.

Lilies bring about $35,000,000 a year to growers. The larger bulbs are sold to florists for forcing, mainly for Easter week and weddings. Sales of blooms this year will bring close to $80,000,000 to florists. But between the florist and grower are other groups taking a profit from the lily business.

Some 20 years ago disease practically ruined the Bermuda Easter lily business. Then Japan took over. In 1940 it sent 25,000,000 bulbs to the United States, selling them for $845,000. Holland sent 1,000,000 bulbs worth $45,000. United States production was negligible.

Today, Oregon, Washington and Florida are lily production centers. Prices for flowers, either potted or cut, will run from $7.50 to $12 a dozen this year, compared with a pre-war price of about half that much. Costs of production have risen sharply. One of the costs few persons know about is the labor of picking off the pollen-laden anthers so the yellow dust won't stain the inside of the blossom.

Largest single lily grower is Rex Beach, the author, who has about 50 acres near Sebring, Fla. He plants about 25,000 bulbs to acre and harvests about 20,000 in the fall when they have grown two or three inches larger in circumference. The largest bulbs are sold for from 50 to $1 piece for forcing.

Has Rare Books

By The Associated Press

BATON ROUGE, La.—The first 15 volumes of "Annals de Chimie," oldest chemical journal which still is displayed under the same title, are among rare books of the Louisiana state university chemical library. The volumes were published in 1792.

Another old book is Robert Boyle's "New Experiments Physico Mechanical Touching the Spring of the Air and its Effect," published in 1662. The book, which retains its original board binding, was written as a letter.

"John has a marvelous idea for a new book, but he's waiting for a postwar typewriter!"

Social Security

System Awaits First Test, Expected To Come During First Year After End of War.

By SIGRID ARNE

FIRST test of the seven-year-old social security system in the United States will occur the first year after the end of the war.

The question is whether there will be enough reserve created by deductions from something like 63,000,000 pay checks to pay benefits to the aged and unemployed when their claims reach flood level.

It will be a more severe test than any of the social security authors foresaw, and its severity apparently is the reason why Sen. Arthur H. Vandenberg of Michigan has conceded that the rate of social security collections for old age benefits should be increased this year because the reserve fund won't be sufficient when its real load of social security falls due.

On the optimistic side, economists believe social security can cushion deflation. They do not believe, on the other hand, its disbursements can have much effect in the other direction, because in the fiscal year 1942-43 it disbursed less than a billion. Predictions have been made that it will prove inflationary, however, when the peak period is reached.

The system hands out no bonanzas. Average payment last year was $200. Total payments were $994,508,000 to 4,980,498 persons.

That was in the three classes assisted by social security; old age insurance (including wives, widows, parents and children of insured workers over 65); unemployed; those who get public assistance—uninsured and indigent aged, dependent children, and the blind.

THERE'S little worry about paying benefits in the immediate future, even though the number eligible is expected to double after the war because 600,000 persons over 65 kept on working during the war and will be free to ask for pensions when the war labor shortage ends.

There's an adequate reserve fund of 4.2 billion dollars for them. They received 149 million in 1942-43. Double that and it's 300 millions, less than a third of this year's payments into the fund.

Those 149 million dollars went for the care of not only the aged worker over 65, but his wife, any children under 18, and any parents.

That's where the fight starts in Washington—the outgo and the income.

For the last three years payments into old age insurance were supposed to double. Right now we are paying 1 per cent of income up to $3,000 a year into the treasury for old age insurance, and this is matched by employers

But for the past three years it was supposed to rise to 2 per cent. A congressional bloc led by Sen. Vandenberg, "froze" the payments We still pay 1 per cent.

Sen. Vandenberg has reversed his position, but formerly he reasoned it was ridiculous to pile up a huge fund in the treasury when Morgenthau, himself, estimated that a safe margin was three times the amount needed at any time during the next five years.

Sen. Vandenberg argued that by the time we have 50 billions in the old age insurance fund we'll be paying 1-5 billion a year interest, because the funds are held in 3 per cent government bonds.

But Arthur Altmeyer, chairman of the social security board, asserts that the large funds now coming into the social security account are deceptive, if compared with the much smaller funds going out.

He points out that the drive for war manpower has brought such an increase of insured workers (from 42 to 63 million) that it is necessary to pile up a large reserve fund now to meet the payments when the peak comes, between 1970 and 1980. Sen. Vandenberg recently seems willing to give in on this point.

THERE'S a popular misconception that the treasury includes social security funds as "income," but fails to count them as "debt," since they do constitute a government obligation for the future. That's not true. They're registered on treasury statements as part of the debt.

Then comes the second big fight.

Sen. Robert Wagner of New York has introduced a bill that would extend the social security system; increase the benefits; provide medical and hospital care; "cover" about 20 million persons not now included (such as farm labor, domestics, employes of non-profit organizations, some civil servants, and the self-employed)—and further would put control of unemployment compensation in the federal government. Unemployment compensation funds are now managed by 51 different units—the 48 states, the District of Columbia, Alaska and Hawaii.

Both the AFL and CIO approve the Wagner bill, although such an extension would mean 6 per cent withheld from paychecks in addition to regular withholding taxes.

Sen. Vandenberg says the state can not possibly consider the Wagner bill seriously until after the war. President Roosevelt, Mr. Morgenthau and Mr. Altmeyer, in various ways, all have recommended early consideration.

Exercise Trust

By Truman Twill

Consider the body builders. Take away the smell of arnica and the crutches and what's left, except muscle tone?

They toil not, neither do they spin, but they can jump five feet straight up in the air on a handball court and when they come down they will never be the same.

They walk miles up hill and down dale to find a little ball and call it fun, but ask them to walk a beat behind an ingenious piece of machinery called a lawn mower and they threaten to vote for the opposition candidate.

Gladly will they shell out for the privilege of doing pushups on a thin mattress, but if you value your good name never suggest that muscle tone might be developed doing pushdowns with a garden spade.

In the morning they dearly love to stand in front of an open window and make healthful gestures while inhaling deeply, but it is an insult to suggest they might stand on the other side of the window in the afternoon and make useful gestures with a wet sponge.

Their joy and delight is to take nature jaunts in the great outdoors, but never, never make the mistake of saying it might be good for them to jaunt off to the day's occupation, or they will give you all the inside dope on gas rationing.

Perspiration to them is not a thing to be brought on lightly and wiped off with the back of the hand, but a valuable by-product of membership in the international sweat-through joy movement.

Writhing and twisting for health improve the digestion and prolong life—but the thought of standing on a stepladder to clean wallpaper makes them wish they were dead. Work is work and exercise is exercise, and never the twain should meet.

It is one thing to put on shorts and a sweat shirt and bend that middle for the purpose of working off surplus poundage, but the ladies and gentlemen of the exercise trust will tell you it is something else entirely to bend in pursuit of the elusive household dust and tenacious garden weeds.

They may dash in and out of the water like so many limber nymphs at a bathing beach, but the thought of water in a scrub bucket fills them with thoughts of drowning. The exercise trust may kill itself for health's sake, but it never renders its creed: Work is not exercise and work is not, therefore, good for you.

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DAILY FEATURES ON THE RADIO

All programs are listed at Eastern Standard time.

FRIDAY (Night)

WTAM 1100 KC	WLW 700 KC	WJR 760 KC	WHKC 640 KC
6:00 Music	Big Sister	News	News
6:15 "	Hearts Harm'n	Songs	Jack, Gl. Killer
6:30 Thomas	Lum & Abner	Mel. Marvels	News
6:45 "	Lowell Thomas	World Today	Superman
7:00 News	Fred Waring	Love a Myst'ry	Fulton Lewis
7:15 "	News	We Who Dr'm	Sweeney Spts.
7:30 To Arms	Lion's Roar	Friday on	Lone Ranger
7:45 "	Kaltenborn	Broadway	"
8:00 Civil Service	Duffy's	Kate Smith	News
8:15 Quiz	"	"	Fulton Oursler
8:30 Time Hit	All Time Hit	"	Opportunity
8:45 Parade	Parade	"	"
9:00 Fibber	Walts Time	It Pays to Be	W. Front Page
9:15 McGee Are Funny	"	Ignorant	Evening Mood
9:30 "	People Are	Brewster Boy	Double or
9:45 "	Funny	"	Nothing
10:00 Amos 'n' Andy	Amos 'n' Andy	Moore-Durfee	Sign Off
10:15 "	"	"	"
10:30 Sports Newsreel	Sill Stern	Stage Door	"
10:45 "	Parker Family	Canteen	"
11:00 Fred Waring	News	News	"
11:15 "	Vic and Sade	Orchestra	"
11:30 Music	Buccaneers	Mrs. Miniver	"
11:45 Chanette	Dorothy Shor:	"	"
12:00 "	Arthur Reilly	News	"
12:15 Suns	Gregor Ziemer	Stafford Spts.	"
12:30 Jay Katz	Wash. Speaks	Raymond Scott	"

SATURDAY (Day)

WTAM 1100 KC	WLW 700 KC	WJR 760 KC	WHKC 640 KC
9:00 Musical	Prayer Period	News	News
9:15 Time To Shine	News	Shift Swing	News & Tales
9:30 Clock	Top O' Morn.	Star Parade	News
9:45 Tells the Time	Morn. Matinee	Garden Gate	Wake Up Club
10:00 Kidd & Madness	Happy Valley	Youth Parade	Rainb'w House
10:15 Betty Moore	Betty Moore	Mary L. Taylor	R'bow House
10:30 Hook and Ladder	Hook & Ladd'r	News	Roundup
10:45 Light Window	Light Window	Rationing	Hello Mom
11:00 Stamp Federal'n	Milestones	Theater Today	Land of Free
11:15 Scientific Sp'rtlight	Farm	Movie Stars	Orchestra
11:30 Ohio News	Farm Hour	Grand Central	Ohio Farm
11:45 The Baxters	News	Stand By	News
12:00 Listen to Youth	Met. Opera	Wrangl'r's Cl'b	Army Show
12:15 Sports	"	Pan America	Orchestra
12:30 Chicago Sym.	"	Victory F.O.B.	This Is Hal'ran
12:45 "	"	Phila. Orch.	Army & Navy
1:00 Robert Hughes	"	"	Variety
1:15 Doctors At War	"	News	Rev. Ferguson
1:30 Your America	To Be Ann'ced.	Corliss Archer	Navy Bul. B'rd
1:45 Behind Headlines	Inside Radio	Mother & Dad	Calvary Hour

SATURDAY (Night)

WTAM 1100 KC	WLW 700 KC	WJR 760 KC	WHKC 640 KC
5:00 Sustain Wings	Your America	News	Art Robinson
5:15 "	"	Tony Weitzel	Dance Orch.
5:30 Organ Melodies	Curt Massey	Musical	Hawaii Calls
5:45 Religion in News	Merry Makers	World Today	"
6:00 Sports News	"	"	Sat. Serenade
6:15 U. S. A. Quiz	News Reporter	Bob Burns	Sports
6:30 Ellery Queen	Ellery Queen	"	Fairy Tales
6:45 "	"	Thanks Yanks	Sold. of Press
7:00 Abie's Irish Rose	Abie's Irish	"	"
7:15 "	Rose	"	"
7:30 Truth or Conse.	Bob Burns	Blue Ribbon	News
7:45 "	"	Town	Auction
8:00 Barn Dance	Barn Dance	Inner Sanctum	Cisco Kid
8:15 "	"	"	"
8:30 Can You Top This	Can You Top	Hit Parade	Chicago
8:45 "	"	"	Theater
9:00 Barry Wood	Million Dollar	Hit Parade	of the Air
9:15 "	Band	Sat. Serenade	"
9:30 Grand Ole Opery	Grand Old	Correction	Sign Off
9:45 "	Opery	Please	"
10:00 Hockey Game	"	Talk	"
10:15 "	Boone County	"	"
10:30 News-Music	"	News	"
10:45 Hockey	Bogne County	Dateline	"
11:00 News	"	Flash Gun	"
11:15 Sammy Watkins	Arthur Reilly	Casey	"
11:30 Service Command	Gregor Zeimer	News	"
	Skyw'y to War	Stafford Spts.	"
		Orchestra	"

SUNDAY

WTAM 1100 KC	WLW 700 KC	WJR 760 KC	WHKC 640 KC
10:00 Voice of Army	Vigilant	News	Bible Class
10:30 News	Happ'n'd There	Rev. J. Zoller	Rev. D. S. Mills
11:00 World Front	World Front	News	Rev. Mills
11:30 Stradivari Orch.	Orchestra	Opinion	Frank & Ern'st
12:00 Musical Matinee	Cadle Taber	Church of Air	Review, Stand
12:30 Roundtable	Boys Town	Album	Orchestra
1:00 These We Love	Those We Love	Ceiling Unlim.	News
1:30 Westinghouse	J. C. Thomas	World Today	Lutheran Hour
2:00 Upton Close	Upton Close	Symphony	Pilgrim Hour
2:30 Army Hour	Army Hour	"	"
3:00 Army Hour	"	Symphony	Fort Dix
3:30 Jake and Lena	Lutheran Hour	Kostelanetz	Bulldog Drum.
4:00 General Motors	NBC Symph'ny	Family Hour	Wide Horizon
4:15 Symphony	"	"	"
4:30 "	"	From Nowhere	Lincoln Story
4:45 "	"	"	"
5:00 Catholic Hour	Fount. of Fun	Silver Theater	Green Valley
5:15 "	"	"	U. S. A.
5:30 Great Gildersleeve	Gildersleeve	America In Air	The Shadow
5:45 "	"	"	"
6:00 Jack Benny	Jack Benny	News	Roasty of
6:15 "	"	Perry Como	A.A.F.
6:30 Bandwagon	Truth or	We, the People	Upton Close
6:45 "	Consequence	"	John Kennedy
7:00 Charlie McCarthy	Charlie M'C'thy	Star and the	Old Fashioned
7:15 "	"	Story	Revival
7:30 One Man's Family	1 Man's Fam.	Crime Doctor	"
7:45 "	"	"	"
8:00 Merry Go Round	Merry-Go-	Radio Digest	Mediation
8:15 "	Round	"	Board
8:30 Familiar Music	Familiar Music	Fred Allen	"
8:45 "	"	"	Harmonaires
9:00 Hour of Charm	Charm Hour	Take It or	Cleveland Sym.
9:15 "	"	Leave It	"
9:30 Bob Crosby	Bob Crosby	Hermit's Cave	"
9:45 "	"	"	"
10:00 Voice of Army	W. Winchell	Jimmy Fiddler	Morton Gould
10:15 News	Basin Street	Dance Orch.	"
10:30 Symphonette	News	Sammy Kaye	Sign Off
10:45 "	Jimmy Fiddler	"	"
11:00 Did You Know	Drew Pearson	News	"
11:15 T. Peluso's Orch.	Far East	Rev. J. Zoller	"
11:30 Lands of the Free	Moon River	"	"

Marion Man Home from Italy Voices Praise of Red Cross

The work of the Red Cross in the Italian and North African areas is generously praised by Pvt. Newton D. Cunningham, home on a 21-day furlough, after a year overseas. In an interview yesterday, Pvt. Cunningham remarked that the only non-military recreational and entertainment facilities available are furnished by that organization.

In the Naples area, where he was stationed, a large building housed the facilities furnished by the organization. Service men were able to see a movie three times a week. The other four nights usually offered some form of G. I. entertainment. All phases of Red Cross services to the soldiers were carried on in this building.

During the time that Pvt. Cunningham was near the front lines, his unit was making a photographic story for the Red Cross, which was to have been used in a March of Time production. At this time he saw the Red Cross donut huts which were located on the front lines.

Entering the service two years ago, April 24, Pvt. Cunningham has been stationed with the 5th Army, doing signal photographic work in Italy for four months. He is a graduate of Harding High school and prior to entering the service, he worked for his father, T. M. Cunningham, in his plumbing establishment. Mr. Cunningham died last year. A sister, Mrs. R. C. Cheney, lives at 202 Chicago avenue, and while in Marion, Pvt. Cunningham is visiting at her home. He will report to Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind., at the end of his furlough.

Pythian Sisters Lodge Inspected at Sycamore

Special to The Star

SYCAMORE—The annual inspection of Mary Lincoln temple Pythian Sisters was held Tuesday. Mrs. Yvonne Weininger was hostess at a dinner in the American Legion rooms. The guests included the officers of the lodge, the members of the degree staff, guests, and the candidates initiated during Mrs. Weininger's term of office. Mrs. Weininger was presented a gift. Mrs. Mary Hildebrand, was captain of the degree staff.

One candidate was initiated. Mrs. Marguerite Lord grand sentor, of Fostoria, was the inspecting officer.

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A special meeting of the Boy Scouts was held Tuesday at the school at which time badges and honors were distributed. Speakers included Joe Slosser of the Marion area and R. R. Peters of Bucyrus.

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A family potluck supper was served at the home of Dow Walton Sunday night honoring his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hufford, who are leaving this week for their home in New Jersey after spending the winter with Mr. Walton.

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YOUNG MUSICIAN PLAYS ON HARDING PIANO HERE

Dolores Holtz Tries Former White House Instrument.

A visit to the Harding home where she played on the concert grand piano which graced the White House during the term of President Warren G. Harding was an off-the-schedule highlight of Dolores Holtz's trip to Marion early this week. The 10-year-old girl, who is making a name for herself as a pianist, came to Marion from her home in Middletown to appear on the Junior Lecture-Recital club program Monday evening. Tuesday morning, with her teacher, Alma Betcher of the University of Cincinnati, she visited the Harding home. She played a group of three numbers and her teacher also played a selection. Of added interest to the guests was learning that the former first lady also had studied music at the university's conservatory of music. The piano, an A. B. Chase, was a gift to President and Mrs. Harding shortly after they entered the White House. It bears the seal of the United States and also the President's seal.

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Ernest J. King, Admiral, U.S. Navy

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Perhaps you just need some one person in your home to remind you each time you waste these precious resources that your country now needs so badly. Your small son or daughter could perform no greater service to America than to take over this policing job. If you have no children, you yourself should take it on your own shoulders. Start now!

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FRIDAY

Night—6:30 Concert Hall; 7:15 Lum and Abner; 7:30 Meet Your Navy; 8 Gang Busters; 9:15 Top of the Evening; 9:30 Nero Wolfe; 10:15 Music You Want; 10:45 Story Teller.

SATURDAY

Day—8:30 Breakfast Club; 9:15 Morning Meditations; 10:15 The Rambler, Rev. Wynd; 10:30 Land of the Lost; 12:30 Mt. Olive Grange; 1 Metropolitan Opera.

Night—7:30 Boston Symphony; 8:15 Gospel Fellowship Hour; 8:30 Star Parade; 9:45 Music Shop; 10:45 Quick Quiz.

SUNDAY

Day—8:45 Dorothy Gail Stephenson; 10:45 Emanuel Lutheran Church; 12:30 Marion Entertains; 1:30 Emmanuel Baptist Church; 3:30 Metropolitan Auditions; 5 Old Fashioned Revival Hour; 6 Drew Pearson; 7:15 Church of the Nazarene; 8 Walter Winchell; 8:45 Jimmy Fiddler; 10:15 Savoy Opera.

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You'll never feel stranded if you're within reach of a radio at Top of the Evening time! This new Westinghouse show features the new singing star Sally Sweetland, The King's Men, the two-piano team of Saidenberg and Rebner, and the Westinghouse chorus, under Ken Darby's musical direction. Don't miss it!

WMRN 9:15 P. M. C. W. T.

Martel Grangers To Send Photos to Servicemen

Martel Grange met Tuesday night at the school. It was voted to send each boy on the Tully township honor roll a picture of it, also one to the parents or wives. It was voted to buy an Easter gift for the photographer and his wife who made the pictures at cost. Mrs. Ward Sharrock and Mrs. Charles Manning were named as the committee to purchase this gift.

A report on the state lecturer's short course in Columbus was given by Mrs. James McKinstry. A volleyball game was played by juvenile and subordinate Granges.

Nurse from Meeker Promoted to Captain

Mrs. Edith Sloat of Meeker has received word that her daughter, First Lieut. Mildred R. Sloat of Camp Atterbury, Ind., has been promoted to captain. Captain Sloat graduated from Marion High school in 1919, took nurses training at Mt. Carmel hospital in Columbus. She completed a course of anesthesia in Cleveland in 1932 and continued work at Mt. Carmel until her enlistment in the Army in November, 1942. She is with the Medical section and teaches at Camp Atterbury.

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Social Affairs

MISS CLARABELLE MERRITT, whose marriage to Leroy Hinaman will be an event of the near future, was complimented with a dinner and crystal shower when Miss Grace Hahn entertained the Isaly Dairy office force and guests at Hotel Harding last night. The table was decorated with a centerpiece, using the bride-to-be's colors with blue iris and white carnations. Guests were Mrs. G. R. Berritt, Miss Emma Merritt, Mrs. Charles H. Isaly, Mrs. R. C. Isaly, Mrs. William R. Isaly, Miss Anna Marie Isaly and Mrs. Herman Unger. Miss Merritt is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Merritt of near Morral and Mr. Hinamon is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hinamon of near Claridon.

MRS. HELEN LEVIEN of Van Buren street entertained the Wimodausis club at her home last night, complimenting Mrs. Fred Saull, who was celebrating her birthday. Mrs. Fred Haberman III was welcomed as a new member. The monthly donation of $5 was made to the Canteen. Mrs. Ray Wilson and Mrs. Harry Haflich won high awards in cards, and Mrs. John Burke won the galloping award. Lunch was served with appointments in keeping with the Easter season. Assisting the hostess were Mrs. J. A. McDowell and Mrs. W. H. Jenner.

Mrs. Arthur Myers of 582 East Center street entertained the Friendship club, formerly the Linger Awhile club, Wednesday evening. Bridge was played with first honors going to Mrs. Harold Tobin and consolation to Mrs. Paul Fabian. Mrs. Harry Speck was presented the guest award. Guests were Mrs. Speck, Mrs. E. E. Patten, Mrs. L. C. Kimball, Mrs. Aubrey Erskine and Miss Mary Alice Boyd. Mrs. Edwin K. Smith will entertain the members at the next meeting.

Mrs. Lee Hathaway of 781 Gill avenue entertained Tuesday afternoon in honor of her son Jimmy's fourth birthday. The table was centered with a lighted birthday cake. Mrs. B. F. Felter assisted Mrs. Hathaway in serving. Those present were Cynthia Snow, Gary Miller, Carol Baer, Johnny Hathaway, Anita Buckingham, Larry Eblin, Judy Steele, Armida Buckingham, Sharon Eblin and Mary Ann Hathaway.

In an account of a meeting of the Trocadero club, in last night's paper, the name of the hostess was incorrectly listed. The hostess was Mrs. Millie Baker of Olney avenue.

Mrs. Willis Drumm entertained the Friendship Euchre club Wednesday evening at her home on Irey avenue. Mrs. Orville Hawkey won the award for high score, Mrs. O. L. Freshour received the galloping award and Mrs. Beeman was consoled. Lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by her daughter, Miss Jacqueline Drumm.

Mrs. Semah Carder entertained the Three G's club Tuesday evening at her home on Cherry street. Contest awards were won by Mrs. Mary Haycook and Mrs. Thelma Crissinger and the guessing box was won by Mrs. George Lehner of Mansfield. Prizes in bingo went to Mrs. Bruce McEntire. Mrs. Laurel DeLong was a guest.

Mrs. George Reinwald was hostess to the Senior Starlight club last night at her home on Belmont street. Honors in bridge were won by Mrs. Jacob Ebert, Mrs. Thomas Greenland and Mrs. John Brady. Mrs. Harry Hoffman won the guessing box award. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Edward Dutt of Waldo, April 26.

Miss Dolores Bain and Naval Officer To Be Married

MR. AND MRS. THOMAS D. BAIN of 932 Sheridan road are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Dolores Lenore, to Chief Petty Officer Donald David Alexander of Bowling Green, O., now serving on an aircraft carrier.

Miss Bain graduated from Harding High school in 1942 and is a sophomore at Bowling Green university where she is taking home economics. Chief Petty Officer Alexander is a graduate of Bowling Green High school and entered the navy four years ago. No date has been set for the wedding, but the young couple plan to be married in Marion as soon as the prospective bridegroom is home on leave.

Personal Mention

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Kenney and daughter Ann of Haddonfield, N. J., are visiting at the home of Mrs. Kenney's mother, Mrs. Mabel Fidler at 1148 East Center street.

DINNER NEAR WALDO

Miss Hazel Clunk of near Waldo entertained Sunday with a surprise birthday dinner at her home in honor of Mrs. Jerry M. Clunk of Marion. Other guests were: Jerry M. Clunk and daughter Dorothy Lou, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Briggs of Cardington, W. H. Clunk, William Clunk and James Clunk.

MILK OF KINDNESS

By The Associated Press

LEICESTER, Eng.—Police took into protective custody an old roan cow, found wandering about the city. They regretfully sold her when on one claimed her in two months.

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Miss Hafer Given Crystal Shower at Smith Home

MISS DE MERIL HAFER, a bride-elect of April 5, was complimented last evening with a crystal shower given by Mrs. W. D. Busch and Miss Mary Katherine Smith at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Smith at 395 Forest street. The evening was spent playing bridge and rummy, high honors going to Miss Barbara Fralich and Mrs. E. C. Sleeth. Miss Hafer will become the bride of Staff Sgt. William D. Stanbro, United States Army Air Forces, on Wednesday evening at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Hafer of LaRue.

The shower gifts were hidden throughout the rooms and Miss Hafer, who is an instructor of music in the junior high schools of Marion, was asked to locate them by recognizing key words from songs played on the piano by Miss Smith. Refreshments were served by the hostesses at bridge tables centered with small candles in hyacinth shape. The places were marked with white baskets filled with mints in pastel shades. The guests included Miss Hafer, Mrs. E. J. Hafer and Mrs. J. Lewis Hafer of LaRue, Mrs. Carl Mayer, Mrs. Fern West, Mrs. Richard Leffler, Mrs. Edith Hendel, Mrs. E. C. Sleeth, Mrs. Ralph Carhart, Misses Zelma Howard, Trolla Klopfenstein, Mary Jo Stafford, Cecelia Snyder, Margaret Watrous, Barbara Fralich and Mrs. J. H. Smith.

Weddings

Miss Iva Jean Morrison of Glouster, O., and Ernest Landon, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Landon of Prospect, were united in marriage Monday evening in the parsonage of First United Brethren church. Rev. Garrison Roebuck read the ceremony at 6:30 p. m. The bride's attendants were Mrs. Elizabeth Moore and Mrs. Leo Wood. The bride is a graduate of the class of 1941 of the Jacksonville Trimble High school in Glouster and the groom graduated from Prospect High school. Both are employed at the Permanente Metals Corp. They will make their home at 259 Park boulevard.

Miss Martha Watson, daughter of Charles Watson of 424 West Church street, and Raymond Rush, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Rush of near Espyville, were united in marriage March 25 at Greenup, Ky. The couple will make their home near Espyville. Mr. and Mrs. Samuel McKinzie of 424 West Church street entertained at dinner Sunday in honor of the newly married couple. Present were Merton Watson, Miss Helen Mason, Miss Dorothy Mason, C. W. Swartz, Charles Watson and Mrs. Jean Stackpole.

New Ashley Church Circle Is Entertained

Special to The Star

ASHLEY — The new circle, composed of members of the Kings' Volunteers class of the Ashley Methodist church, was entertained by Mrs. S. C. Powers and Mrs. Harold Shoemaker, at the home of the former, Tuesday. Mrs. Maud Kohler was a guest. Mrs. Powers, president, appointed the following committees: membership—Mrs. H. W. Davis, Mrs. Harold Baker, Mrs. Alva Steed, Mrs. Charles Shults; program—Mrs. L. B. Richmond, Mrs. Paul Bennett, Mrs. Earl Jenkins; devotions—Mrs. Lillie Lea, Mrs. Albertus Wornstaff, Mrs. V. S. Westbrook; home work—Mrs. Ed Shoemaker, Mrs. Eugene Apt, Mrs. J. C. Carper, Mrs. L. L. Sharp; budget and activity—Mrs. Harold Shoemaker, Mrs. V. E. Selanders, Mrs. Frank Jackson, Mrs. C. N. Higgins, Mrs. Ralph Jones, Mrs. D. J. Hershey.

The Volunteer Circle was the name chosen by the group. Mrs. Lillie Lea, the teacher, was in charge of the devotions. Mrs. L. B. Richmond read an article and Gloria and Diane Powers played a duet.

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The last in a series of euchre parties sponsored by the Ashley Odd Fellows was held in the lodge hall Tuesday.

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Approximately 60 relatives and neighbors gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jackson of near Ashley Friday in observance of their thirtieth wedding anniversary.

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Prof. C. M. Ferguson, agricultural extension specialist, of Ohio State university, County Extension Agent Paul Cunningham of Delaware, County Extension Agent Elwood Davis of Mt. Gilead, Mr. Sheppard of the New Washington egg auction, and Verne Selanders of the Ashley Baby Chick Co., met at the office of R. B. Warner, vocational agriculture teacher at Ashley, last Friday and discussed the local egg and poultry situation.

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QUADS HELP RED CROSS DRIVE. Five-year-old Badgett quadruplets of Galveston, Tex., Jeraldine, Jeanette, Joyce and Joan, said to be youngest all-girl quads in U. S., aid Red Cross.

Miss Frances Bull, Cpl. T. J. Showers To Be Married

MR. AND MRS. W. WARREN BULL of 279 South High street are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Frances Louise, to Cpl. Thomas J. Showers of the U. S. Army Air Force, son of Mrs. Thomas O. Showers of San Diego, Calif., and the late Mr. Showers.

Miss Bull was graduated from Harding High school and is employed in the office of the Marion Steam Shovel Co. Her fiance is an alumus of Long Beach High school, Long Beach, Calif., and joined the armed forces in September 1941. Due to his being stationed overseas no date has been set for the wedding.

Cpl. Showers and his parents formerly lived in Marion when his father, chief carpenter's mate, was stationed here as a naval recruiting officer.

W. B. A. Group Meets at Crestline Home

Special to The Star

CRESTLINE, March 31—The officers and Guards club of the Women's Benefit association met Wednesday in the home of Mrs. Calvin Baker. Pinochle prizes went to Mrs. A. T. Wright, Mrs. Vincent Fetters, Mrs. Harold Harris and Miss Lena Zimmerman.

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Mis Ethel Levy presided for the business meeting of the Pythian Sisters Wednesday. Plans were made to work at the Service Center April 24. A card party for K. of P. and their wives and Pythian Sisters and their husbands followed the meeting.

British Torpedo Boats Attack Nazi Convoy

By The Associated Press

LONDON, March 31 — British motor torpedo boats attacked a German convoy off the coast of Holland during the night but were driven off, the Berlin radio said today.

There was no British confirmation.

A later German broadcast said light British naval forces had attacked another Nazi convoy between Dieppe and Boulogne and declared two of the British vessels were set afire.

ANNIVERSARY EVENT

Mrs. E. H. Schiller of Davids street has received word that her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Silver of 72 Northridge road, Columbus, will celebrate their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary on April 9 by holding open house in the afternoon and evening.

Mrs. Silver is the former Miss Starling Milligan of Prospect. She and Mr. Silver were married April 6, 1919 in Prospect. Mr. Silver, until recently serving as agriculture engineer at Ohio State university, is now working in Battle Creek, Mich.

ANNIVERSARY EVENT

Open house will be held Sunday afternoon from 2 to 5 p. m., at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Daly of 419 Milburn avenue, in honor of their 25th wedding anniversary. They were married April 1, 1919, in Monroe, Mich. They have one daughter, Mrs. Virginia Corwin of Thompson street, two sons, Pfc. Carl Daly, stationed in New Caledonia, and Pvt. Lawrence Daly, stationed in Italy, and two granddaughters, Sandra and Beverly Corwin.

It is estimated that more than one-third of all two-year-old children have cavities in their teeth.

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Book Review Given for Club at Galion

Special to The Star

GALION, March 31—Religious paper and book review, in keeping with the Easter season, featured the program of the Progress club Thursday. The paper was prepared by Mrs. George Kirkland and read by Mrs. T. A. Johnston and the book review was given by Mrs. William Dennig. The meeting was held at the Bemiller home, and the hostesses were Miss Jeannette Slocum, Miss Nell Kelly and Miss Elizabeth Allwardt.

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The monthly business and social meeting of the Willing Workers of the United Brethren church was held Thursday at the parsonage with Mrs. C. V. Roop. The committee in charge of the social hour included Mrs. Cecil McDowell, Mrs. Roop, Mrs. Hugh Reece, Mrs. William Krutzman, Mrs. Cleo Garverick and Mrs. Andrew Anker.

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Elders and trustees were elected at the congregational meeting held this week at First Presbyterian church. The business session was precedede with a potluck supper at 6:30 o'clock. Music was furnished by a string trio composed of Clayton Howman, Louis Girton and Lester Dickerson, and two piano numbers were played by John Monroe. A statistical report of his ministerial activities for the year was given by Rev. W. A. Martin.

Elders elected are John Garverick, Mrs. A. W. Bradford and Blossom Burget. Trustee chosen are Paul Quay, Donald Ginn and Mrs. John Shumaker.

U. S. CASUALTIES NOW PLACED AT 173,239

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON, March 31 — The latest reports on American war casualties set up the total at 173,239 for the Army and Navy, an increase of 4,947 in a week.

Secretary of War Stimson said today that army casualties in all theaters through March 15 totaled 130,619. The latest total reported for the Navy, Marines and Coast Guard is 42,620.

Army casualties: 22,570 killed, 53,124 wounded, 27,183 missing and 27,742 prisoners.

Navy casualties: 18,087 killed, 10,974 wounded, 9,138 missing, and 4,421 prisoners.

Of the total casualties for the sea services, the Navy had 28,043, the Marines 14,123 and the Coast Guard 454.

Stimson said that of the 53,124 Army wounded, 27,296 have returned to duty. Of the 27,742 prisoners, 1,675 have been reported by the enemy as having died of disease in prison camps, mostly in Japanese-occupied territory.

About one-third of the active medical practitioners in the U. S. are in the services.

ROOSEVELT'S NAME LOSES VOTE MAGIC

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON, March 31 — Representative Thomas Jenkins (R-Ohio) discerns an "unmistakable Republican trend" in New York and elsewhere in the country today and said the name Roosevelt had "lost its magic."

The Ohioan added in a house speech that election results since 1940 indicated conclusively President Roosevelt could not carry New York state in 1944.

"The Republican party has been gradually gaining in strength and the figures show it is much stronger than the combined strength of the Democratic party and the American Labor party. The Republicans hold the governorship and control the legislature * * *. And there is unmistakable Republican trend on the country.

"The American Labor Party, which is the New Deal party, has but little strength outside of New York City. It is now being torn by disunity."

Jenkins suggested that in an election held now Democratic congressional candidates would not carry New York City by more than 420,000 as compared with 573,000 two years ago.

"The large number of new congressmen who came into congress through the 1932-34-36-38 elections came because of Roosevelt's popularity in states other than New York."

MARION MAN HURT AS AUTO LEAVES HIGHWAY

Russell L. Blair Injured in Mishap Near Here.

Russell L. Blair of 661 Fountain street suffered severe head and face lacerations about 10 last night when a car in which he was a passenger left Route 23 south of Marion and struck a tree. According to state highway patrolmen, who investigated the accident, George Seymour of West Center street, the operator of the auto, lost control. Blair was taken to City hospital where his condition was reported fair. The auto was demolished.

Martin Says Bureaucrats Map Post-War Policy

By The Associated Press

BOSTON, March 31—Discussions of post-war problems of tremendous magnitude now are in progress without congressional representation, according to house Minority Leader Joseph E. Martin, Jr.

Speaking at a meeting of the Massachusetts Women's Republican club last night, he said "a few bureaucrats alone have been participating in these conferences and making the crucial decisions which will affect the future of America for many years to come.

"Congress should be represented at these international conferences. * * *

"Foreign policy should be a national policy, and not the judgment of one individual or small group of individuals."

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Church Filled as Students Begin Pre-Easter Series

Central Christian church was filled nearly to capacity this morning for the first of this year's series of the annual pre-Easter services presented by the Harding Hi-Y and Girl reserve groups under the direction of the Y. M. C. A.

The subject of this morning's meeting was "Seeking the Way," first of several topics under a general theme of "Christianity—the Way of Life."

Phillip Jones, a Harding senior who is planning to enter the ministry, spoke on "Seeking the Way." Marjorie Augenstein gave the call to worship. John McKenney led singing. Tom McGinnis offered prayer and Helen Beale pronounced the benediction.

Mrs. Virgil Curl at the organ played "The Palms" by Faure as a prelude and "Easter Joy" by Morris as a postlude.

The next service will be held Monday morning at 8:10 at the church. Services last from 8:10 to 8:40 and will be held every school day next week. Monday's subject will be "Guide Posts Along the Way." Peggy Hale and John McKenney will act as co-chairmen for the service.

Services will be climaxed by an Easter sunrise service to be held from 7:20 to 8:30 Easter morning at the Harding tomb.

EDEN MAY RESIGN AS FOREIGN MINISTER

By The Associated Press

LONDON, March 31—Suave, dashing Anthony Eden was reported on the verge of stepping down as Britain's foreign secretary and the London News-Chronicle commented that "as things now stand he is almost certain to be the next conservative prime minister."

There has been talk for a week or more, that Eden might resign his present office with such a higher post in view as the ultimate objective. It was said he may give his full time to the role of government leader of the house of commons, a position he now fills in addition to being foreign secretary.

If Eden does decide to devote himself wholly to leadership of the house of commons, he will be faced with the problem offered by some members still disgruntled over the procedure by which the Churchill government won a vote of confidence yesterday.

Some London newspapers continued to chide Churchill today in editorial cartoons. Critics commented that the prime minister, having forced his confidence vote, should now state plainly his position on the equal-pay issue for men and women teachers, the comparatively insignificant spark that brought him [illegible] in the house chambers, demanding unqualified support for his policies.

George M. Keller Of Richwood Stricken

Special to The Star

RICHWOOD, March 31—George Marun Keller, 77, died today at 3:30 a. m. at his home here. He had been ill for more than a year.

Born April 20, 1866, in Fernsburg, to Martin L. and Anna C. Shreyer Keller, he was married in 1892 to Miss Sylvia Cunningham, who survives with one daughter, Mrs. Charles Parrott of St. Paris, O., six grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. Mr. Keller was a member of the First Methodist church at Richwood.

Funeral services will be conducted by Rev. Edward Brister, Sunday at 2 p. m. at the home. Burial will be made in the Bethlehem cemetery in Richwood. Friends may call at the home after noon today and until service time.

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LACK OF MANPOWER TO CLOSE FURNACE

By The Associated Press

...NTON, O., March 31 — Be... a serious manpower short... in its steel mill, the Timken Bearing Co. plans to shut ... of its nine furnaces ...

... Donze, company vice ... in charge of production, ... expected the situation to ... worse because of the draft. ... manpower commission offi... have been informed of the ... em and have promised to try ... sufficient men to man the ... ninth furnace, Donze asserted.

The furnace shutdown will mean a 6,700 ton reduction in ingot melting capacity per month.

The production head said the company had an immediate need for 500 workers. He disclosed some employes had been working as many as 94 hours a week and had refused to continue at such a pace.

"We cant blame them," Donze remarked. "They are pretty well worn out."

Burglar and Delaware Merchant Suffer Cuts

DELAWARE, March 31—When a young burglar escaped through a glass door in the Boston Store Wednesday night without taking time to open it, both he and Albert Kohn, manager of the store, suffered glass cuts, but the intruder completed his escape.

Kohn and his son found the youth in the store when they returned about 8 p. m. The son called police and Kohn grappled with the burglar when the latter tried to escape. The burglar plunged through the door and partially dragged Kohn against the jagged glass, causing forehead and hand cuts

Authorities later recovered a stolen car, found the seat badly stained with blood and assumed the burglar had used the car to help complete his escape.

FRANK B. COOK DIES

KENTON, March 31—Frank B. Cook, 74, former Kenton and Fremont barber, died Wednesday in home of Orr Smith, Patterson, and will be buried in Patterson cemetery following services in the Shields funeral home, Forest, at 2 p. m. Saturday.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT

Estate of Pearl Renzenberger, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that Frank Renzenberger has been appointed and qualified as Executor of the estate of Pearl Renzenberger, late of Marion County, deceased. Dated at Marion Ohio, this 21st day of March, A. D 1944.

OSCAR GANT, Probate Judge,
Marion County, Ohio

Case No. 16687.

LEGAL NOTICE

Elsie M. Sims, last known residence, 1321 South Main Street, Houston, Texas, will take notice that Paul A. Sims filed his petition against her in the Common Pleas Court of Marion County, Ohio, on the 24th day of February, A. D. 1944, praying that he be divorced from her on grounds of Gross Neglect of Duty and of Extreme Cruelty to and toward him and that said cause will be for hearing in said court on or after April 7, 1944

Case No. 21734.

PAUL A. SIMS
Homer E. Johnson, Attorney.

LEGAL NOTICE

... is hereby given, that ... proposals will be received ... office of the Board of Com... ... of Marion County, Ohio, ... Ohio, until April 14th, ... o'clock A. M., (C. W. T.) ... o'clock A. M., (E. W. T.) for fur... ... al material and performing ... labor required on the recon... ... of Likens Chapel Road ... designated by the Board of ... Commissioners in their resolution ... March 30th, 1944.

... improvement to be done in ... dance with the specifications ... plans on file in the office of ... Marion County Engineer. Quo... ... to be submitted upon blanks ... furnished by the County Engineer ... to exceed the total estimate ... .

... reserves to specify unit bid ... and all material and work ... done shall comply with the specifi... ... on file in the County En... ... office.

... bids will be publicly ... opened on above date, read and an ... award made at that or at such time ... which consideration of said bids ... may be duly adjourned, as provided by law.

Each bid must be accompanied by cash or a certified check on some ... ... bank in an amount equal to ... ten per cent (10%) of the estimated ... cost of the improvement, made pay... ... to the order of the Board of ... Commissioners of Marion County, ... Ohio for the benefit of said County ... which will be forfeited by the suc... ... bidder or bidders in case ... they fail to enter a contract and ... bond within five days from the date ... award.

The successful bidder will be re... ... to give bond in an amount ... equal to one half of the estimated ... cost of the improvement with two ... sureties or a surety company to the ... said Board of Commissioners for ... the proper construction and com... ... of the work.

The minimum wages to be paid to ... labor employed on this contract ... shall be in accordance with the ... schedule of prevailing hourly wages ... as by Marion County ascertained ... and determined by the Department ... of Industrial Relations, in accord... ... with Sections 17-3, 17-4, 17-4a, ... 17-5 17-5a of the General Code of ... Ohio.

Bids must be signed by all parties ... interested in the contract. The right ... is reserved to reject any or all bids.

By Order of the Board of ... County Commissioners of ... Marion County, Ohio.

By W. S. Guthrie, Clerk.

March31 1944

Singing Commercials Banned by One Station

By The Associated Press

NEW YORK, March 31—After a six-month experimental period in the night hours, station WQXR of New York City is banning singing commercials and jingle announcements.

WQXR said its decision had as its basis the fact that "since our station specializes in the presentation of good music, it was felt 'singing commercials' were too much of a transition and were apt to create ill-will among listeners and advertisers as well."

Listening tonight: NBC—9:45 Rep. Knutson on "Tax Simplification;" MBS—9 bout, Beau Jack vs. Zorita.

Saturday Programs—CBS—2 p. m. Victory F.O.B. Gov. John W. Bricker.

District Briefs

GALION—A daughter was born at Galion City hospital Wednesday to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Quatman.

KENTON—Staff Sergeant Hugh W. Kaylor, former Kenton attorney who has been stationed in Curacao, West Indies, for the past two years, this week entered Judge Advocate General's school at Ann Arbor, Mich., to receive his training for a commission as second lieutenant.

KENTON—Lt. W. C. Jones, who has resided with an uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Crum of Forest, since death of his father, Dr. W. C. Jones, has been awarded the Purple Heart for wounds received when flak penetrated his airplane while on a mission over German-held territory in Europe.

KENTON—Major S. G. Brugler, former Belle Center dentist, has arrived at Letterman General hospital, San Francisco, for treatment of an illness that developed last February while he was stationed in the South Pacific. His wife is a Hardin county health nurse.

UPPER SANDUSKY—Guy Wilson Stansbery of Upper Sandusky, and Cecil James Stapley of Carey, left today for the naval induction center in Columbus. These two men were selected from the Wyandot county pool of men who have had their physical examination and been selected for the navy and awaiting call.

Parents in Crestline Receive Son's Medal

Special to The Star

CRESTLINE, March 31—Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Armstrong received from Washington Wednesday the official citation of the Purple Heart, and the medal, awarded posthumously to their son, Lieut. Clarence Armstrong, who died from wounds received in action while fighting in Italy in January.

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION

For Fiscal Year Ending December 31st, 1943.

Scott Twp. Rural School District, County of Marion, Martel, R. R. 1, Ohio, March 27, 1944.

I certify the following report to be correct.

H. J. BROOKS, Clerk of the Board of Education.

Tax Valuation	$1,117,980
Tax Levy	11.02
School Enrollment	90
Salaries and Wages	$3,555 46
SUMMARY OF CASH BALANCES, RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES	
Balance, January 1st, 1943	
General Fund	$ 2,669.77
Total	3,669.77
RECEIPTS—	
General Fund	17,831.15
Total	17,831.15
Total Receipts and Balance	20,200 92
EXPENDITURES—	
General Fund	13,893.02
Total	13,893.02
Balance, December 31, 1943	
General Fund	6,307 90
Total	6 307,90
Total Expenditures and Balance	20,200 92
RECEIPTS	
Revenue—	
General Property Taxes— Local Levy	
Bond, Interest and Sinking Fund	11,906 55
All Other Purposes	222.09
Classified Property Tax	1,177.43
Total Property Tax	13,306.87
Foundation Program—	
Cash Received	2,051 07
Deduction for Teachers Retirement	242.76
Deduction for School Employes Retirement	45.92
Deduction for County Board of Education	399.93
Deduction for Tuition Paid Other Districts	228.82
Total Foundation Program	3,999.49
Interest from State on Irreducible Debt	78.87
Other	190.82
Total Revenue	17,531.15
EXPENDITURES	
Administration—	
Salaries and Wages Adm. Officers and Employes	1 704 48
Total Personal Service	1,704.48
Total Administration	1 704 48
Instruction—	
Personal Service	5,121.27
Text Books	84 54
Total Other Purposes	84.54
Total Instruction	5 216.21
Libraries—	
School Library Books	42.78
Total Libraries	42.78
Transportation of Pupils—	
Personal Service	850.00
Motor Vehicle Supplies	350.62
Transportation Contract	125.00
Total Other Purposes	475 62
Total Transportation of Pupils	1,225.62
Other Auxiliary Agencies—	
Lecturers	25.00
Total Personal Service	25.00
Tuition Paid to Other Districts	328.32
Teachers Retirement Contribution	745.04
Employes Retirement Contribution	79.42
County Board of Education Contribution	299.92
Total Other Purposes	1,452 30
Total Other Auxiliary Agencies	1,478.20
Operation of School Plant—	
Personal Service	879.55
Gas	230.21
Fuel	230.21
Other Supplies	1,520.76
Electricity	396.96
Telephone	40.05
Advertising	13.26
Insurance	247.46
Total Other Purposes	2,788.46
Total Operation of School Plant	3,618.95
Debt Service—	
Interest on Certificates of Indebtedness	6.66
Total Debt Service	6.66
Certificates of Indebtedness Paid	500.00
Total Transactions	$ 500.00
ASSETS AND LIABILITIES	
Assets—	
Cash	$ 6,307.90
Inventory Supplies and Materials	150.00
Lands (Cost)	1,000.00
Buildings (Cost)	12,000.00
Equipment (Cost)	4,000.00
Total Assets	23,457.90
Value of Buildings at	23,457.90
Assets	

Court News From Adjoining Counties

MARION COUNTY

KENTON—Probate—Perry A. Miller appointed executor for the estate of Lewis A. Miller. Marriage licenses issued to Jonathan S. Green, Forest soldier, and Miss Margie Dice of Forest; and to John Thomas Blue, Kenton sailor, and Miss Audrey Eudora Davis, Kenton bookkeeper and stenographer.

CRAWFORD COUNTY

BUCYRUS — Common pleas — Partition of Auburn township real estate is asked in an action filed by Rosella Houck against Frank Herzer and others. The plaintiff claims a 1/24th interest in the estate and asks that party defendant be required to render an accounting. Named co-defendants with Herzer are John Herzer, Walter Herzer, Ernest Herzer, Olivia Herzer, Claudius Blum, Agnes Utrup and Bernard Blum.

Charging that the defendant had entered into a marriage contract with him with fraudulent intent for the sole purpose of obtaining a wife's allotment, Robert E. Snyder, Tiro, of the U. S. armed forces, has filed action in common pleas court for a divorce from Betty Jane Snyder. The action also charges gross neglect.

Gross neglect is charged in a divorce action filed by Avalee Patrick against Edward W. Patrick. The plaintiff asks that she granted custody of a minor child and that she be given household goods and furnishings.

Jury Returns Verdict in Gambling Suit

Special to The Star

BUCYRUS, March 31—Judgment of $500 was rendered by a jury in common pleas court Wednesday for Mrs. Harrietta Blankenship in her action to recover gambling losses suffered by her husband, Harold. Defendant in the action was Robert Fegley, proprietor of the Deal House pool room in which Blankenship testified he lost $750 in a 15-month period, in card games and on punch boards.

Another suit in which Mr. Blankenship is the plaintiff seeking $700 losses in pending. His alleged losses occurred at a later period.

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION

For Fiscal Year Ending December 31st, 1943.

Montgomery Rural School District, County of Marion, R. R. No. 3, Marion, Ohio, March 30, 1944.

I certify the following report to be correct.

LOWELL L CATES, Clerk of the Board of Education.

Tax Valuation	$1,194,720
Tax Levy	6.84
School Enrollment	146
Salaries and Wages	$12,480 84
SUMMARY OF CASH BALANCES, RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES	
Balance, January 1st, 1943	
General Fund	$ 735 62
Bond Retirement Fund	367 89
Cafeteria	173 37
Total	1,196.88
RECEIPTS—	
General Fund	17,305 80
Bond Retirement Fund	3,145.79
Cafeteria	875 06
Total	20,326.24
Total Receipts and Balance	21,823.12
EXPENDITURES—	
General Fund	16,041 02
Bond Retirement Fund	1,636.00
Cafeteria	1,052 87
Total	18,730.59
Balance, December 21, 1943	
General Fund	2,019 90
Bond Retirement Fund	777.65
Cafeteria Fund	5 74
Total	2,792 52
RECEIPTS	
Revenue—	
General Property Taxes— Local Levy	
Bond, Interest and Sinking Fund	2,145.78
General Tax	6,817.70
Personal	827 05
Total Property Tax	9,800.54
Foundation Program—	
Total Foundation Program	8,841.30
Vocational Education and Rehabilitation for Deaf, Blind and Crippled Children from State and U. S Government	743.85
Contributions	21.56
Miscellaneous—Interest on Sinking Fund Investments	15.40
Cafeteria	875.06
Total Revenue	20,296.72
Non-Revenue—	
Insurance Adjustments	29.52
Total Non-Revenue	29 52
Total Transactions	20,326.24
EXPENDITURES	
Administration—	
Salaries and Wages Adm. Officers and Employes	310 00
Total Personal Service	310.00
Office Supplies	19.98
Total Other Purposes	19 98
Total Administration	329.98
Instruction—	
Personal Service	5,118.17
Text Books	281.26
Other Educational Supplies	291.97
Total Other Purposes	573 23
Total Instruction	9,661.55
Libraries—	
School Library Books	21 54
Total Libraries	21.54
Transportation of Pupils—	
Personal Service	2,740.55
Motor Vehicle Supplies	206.12
Total Transportation of Pupils	2,946.67
Public Lunches—	
Personal Service	180 00
Cafeteria Supplies	843 37
Total Public Lunches	1,058 37
Other Auxiliary Agencies—	
Other Special Services	10.00
Total Personal Service	10 00
Total Other Auxiliary Agencies	10.00
Operation of School Plant—	
Personal Service	1,202.12
Fuel	378.00
Janitors Supplies	122.12
Other Supplies	175.75
Electricity	322.90
Advertising	21.88
Other Contract and Open Order Service	52.32
Insurance	307.96
Taxes	99.43
Total Operation of School Plant	2,707.66
Maintenance of School Plant—	
Materials for Maint. Equip. and Furniture	6.90
Repairs School Buildings	4.85
Total Maintenance of School Plant	11.81
Debt Service—	
Bonds Maturing	2,000.00
Interest on Bonds	33.62
Total Debt Service	2,033.62
Certificates of Indebtedness Paid	300.00
Total Expenditures	18,730.59
ASSETS AND LIABILITIES	
Assets—	
Cash	2,792.52
Inventory Supplies and Materials	200.00
Lands (Cost)	1,000.00
Buildings (Cost)	12,000.00
Equipment (Cost)	4,000.00
Total Assets	20,000.00
Value of Buildings at	20,000.00
Assets	

AWAIT REACTION OF DRAFT OF 4-FS

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON, March 31—Pointing to an estimated 8,000,000 4-F's between 18 and 45 as the answer to manpower problems, a house military subcommittee today awaited official reaction to its recommendation that many of these men be forced into essential jobs under threat of induction.

Promising legislation immediately after the Easter recess to help clamp job controls on the 4-F's, the committee called a final public session today to hear the manpower woes of a large segment of industry.

From officials of the National Tool & Die Manufacturers' association, Chairman Costello, Democrat of California, said, his subcommittee expects to learn the reaction of industry to the new move to replace with 4-F's thousands of physically fit occupationally-deferred young men.

Semi-official spokesmen disclosed the Army and the Navy were ready to carry out the committee's recommendation that the services publicly announce their readiness to use in labor battalions 4-F's who decline to move into essential industry, despite Secretary Stimson's reluctance to do so.

Also, they disclosed, the newly created inter-agency committee on deferments in industry soon may issue a list of occupations in which 4-F's may work without risking induction into labor groups.

Selective service was reported ready to begin reprocessing 4-F's at once to determine how many would be subject to the new program.

Costello said legislation under consideration would make the new program applicable not only to 4-F's but to non-fathers between 37 and 45.

FINANCIAL REPORT

Annual report of the clerk of the Village of Green Camp, Marion County, Ohio.

For the Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1943.

Green Camp, Ohio, March 24, 1944.

I hereby certify the following report to be correct.

ADA ALEXANDER,
Village Clerk.

SUMMARY OF FUND BALANCES, RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES	
Balance January 1—	
General Fund	$ 188.46
Auto License Street Repair Fund	512.64
Gasoline Tax Street Repair Fund	655.84
Totals General Village Funds	1,357.14
Grand Totals of All Funds (Clerk)	1,357.14
RECEIPTS	
General Fund	734.86
Auto License Street Repair Fund	649.58
Gasoline Tax Street Repair Fund	661.60
Totals General Village Funds	1,646.93
Grand Totals of All Funds (Clerk)	1,646.93
EXPENDITURES	
General Fund	830.27
Auto License Street Repair Fund	616.75
Gasoline Tax Street Repair Fund	803.80
Totals General Village Funds	1,949.92
Grand Totals of All Funds (Clerk)	1,949.92
Balance Dec. 31—	
General Fund	893.14
Auto License Street Repair Fund	366.67
Gasoline Tax Street Repair Fund	212.84
Totals General Village Funds	1,053 15
Grand Totals of All Funds (Clerk)	1,053 15
Treasurer's Cash Balance	1,053.15
Total Cash Balance, Dec. 31, 1943	1,053.15
MEMORANDUM	
Total salaries and wages paid in 1943	243.37
SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS	
Property Taxes — General Fund	209.65
Total Property Taxes	209.65
Cigarette Tax	24.75
State Motor Vehicle Tax	449.58
Gasoline Tax	461.60
Sales Tax	200.00
State Beer and Liquor License Fees	106.00
Local License and Permits	6 00
Total Licenses and Permits	106.00
Fines and Costs	47.95
Rents and Interest—General Village Funds	16.00
Total Rents and Interest	16 00
Fire Dep't Membership	20 00
Old Check	.50
Buildings	10.00
Total Miscellaneous Fees Sales and Charges	30.50
Total Revenue	1,646 93
Grand Total Receipts	1,646 93
SUMMARY OF EXPENDITURES	
Operation and Maintenance—	
General Government—Legislative (Council)	124.00
General Executive	117.50
Total General Government	241.50
Protection to Person and Property—Police	41.67
Fire	60.00
Total Protection to Person and Property	101.67
Sanitation—General Village Funds	330.00
Total Sanitation	330.00
Highways—General Village Funds	939.10
Total Highways	939.10
Miscellaneous — Gas, Electric, etc.	187.30
Labor (Misc.)	109.28
State Ex. Adjustment	41.29
Total Miscellaneous	337.45
Total Exp. and Outlay	1,949.92
Grand Total Expenditures	1,949.92
GENERAL VILLAGE FUNDS	
RECEIPTS	
Property Taxes — General Property Tax	209.65
Total Property Taxes	209.65
Cigarette Tax	24.75
State Motor Vehicle License	449.58
State Gasoline Tax	461.60
Sales Tax	200.00
State Beer and Liquor License	106.00
Licenses and Permits — Mayor	6.00
Total Licenses and Permits	6.00
Fines and Costs (Mayor and Police Ct.)	47.95
Rents and Int.—Rents on Village Property	16.00
Total Rents and Interest	16.00
Miscellaneous—Old Check	.50
Fire Department Membership	20.00
Buildings	10.00
Total Miscellaneous	30.50
Total Receipts	1,646.93
EXPENDITURES	
Council—Salaries, Incidentals, etc.	124.00
Mayor — Salary, office, incidentals, etc.	45.50
Clerk—Salary, office supplies, etc.	90.00
Treasurer — Salary, office supplies, etc.	90.00
Total General Executive Offices	317.50
Police Protection—Marshal and Police Salaries	41.67
Total Police Protection	41.67
Fire Protection—Fire Chief and Firemen's Salaries	60.00
Total Fire Protection	60.00
Sanitation — Salary, etc.	330.00
Total Sanitation	330.00
Highways — Salary, etc.	939.10
Total Highways	939.10
Miscellaneous — Gas, Electric, etc.	187.30
Labor (Misc.)	109.28
State Ex. Adjustment	41.29
Total Miscellaneous	337.45
Total Exp. and Outlay	1,949.92
Grand Total Expenditures	1,949.92

DIES IN CLEVELAND

GALION, March 31 -Word of the death of Dr. Albert B Menges, 78, an authority on dietetics, was received here Thursday. D. Menges was the husband of the former Margaret Catlin of Galion who survives with a daughter, Norma J. Menges. Funeral will be held in Cleveland Saturday. Dr. Menges died at his home, in Cleveland Wednesday.

DIES AT FOREST—

KENTON, March 31—William Benjamin Metzger, 83, retired farmer, died Thursday of a cerebral hemorrhage in his home at nearby Forest. Funeral will be held in the Keiper funeral home, Dunkirk, at 2 p. m Saturday with burial in Fairview cemetery, west of Kenton.

KENTON CHILD DIES

KENTON, March 31—Jackie Lou Cooper, 4, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward F. Cooper of Forest, died Wednesday in McKitrick hospital. Funeral was held this afternoon, with burial in Clymer, Ohio.

The art of making glass bottles was known to the Romans as early as the year 78.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT

Estate of George Pickering, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that Bertha Pickering has been appointed and qualified as Executrix of the estate of George Pickering, late of Marion County, deceased. Dated at Marion, Ohio, this 16th day of March, A. D. 1944

OSCAR GANT, Probate Judge,
Marion County, Ohio

Case No. 15479.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

In pursuance of an Order of the Probate Court of Marion County, Ohio, I will offer for sale at public auction, at the west door of the Court House, in Marion County, Ohio, on the 29th day of April 1944, at 10 o'clock A. M., the following described real estate belonging to the estate of Walter Wynn, deceased, the personalty belonging to said estate being insufficient to pay the debts and costs of administering the estate.

Situated in the County of Marion, State of Ohio, and in the Township of Montgomery, to-wit:

Known as being part of the North part of the North East quarter of section number one (1), township five (5), South range thirteen (13), beginning in the center of the State Road leaving from Marion to Kenton, 21 rods Southwest from the corner of Big Island, Montgomery, Salt Rock and Grand Townships, thence Southwest six (6) rods; thence Northwesterly on the line of land sold to Allen Bale, eleven (11) rods; thence Easterly to a gate post now witnessed by a stake, thence Southwardly 9½ rods to the place of beginning, containing seventy rods of land, more or less.

Sold in Case No. 16467 of the Probate Court of Marion County, Ohio.

Said premises consist of an 8-room frame dwelling house located in the Village of Meeker, Marion County, Ohio. Said property is appraised at $700.00 and cannot be sold for less than two-thirds of said appraised value.

Terms of sale:—Cash on day of sale

EDWARD T. JONES Administrator of the estate of Walter Wynn, Deceased

GEO. T. GERAN, Attorney.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS STATE OF OHIO DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS

Columbus, O., March 13, 1944.

Engineer of Sales Legal Copy No. 44-44

UNIT PRICE CONTRACT

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the State Highway Director of Ohio, at Columbus, Ohio, until 10:00 A. M., Ohio standard Time, Tuesday, April 11, 1944, for improvements in:

Proposals Nos. 1 to 7 inclusive are hereby accepted as one project and will be awarded as one contract.

Proposal No. 1

Marion County, Ohio, on Section C of the LaRue-Marseilles Road, State Highway No. 115, State Route No. 37, in Grant Township, by applying a bituminous treatment, Item T-31.

Pavement: Width 20 feet, Length 17,424 feet or 3.30 miles.

Proposal No. 2

Marion County, Ohio, on Section B of the LaRue-Marseilles Road, State Highway No. 115, State Route No. 37, in Montgomery Township, by applying a bituminous treatment, Item T-31

Pavement: Width 18 feet, Length 13,510 feet or 2.56 miles.

Proposal No. 3

Marion County, Ohio, on Section A of the LaRue-Marseilles Road State Highway No. 115, State Route No. 37, in Montgomery Township, by applying a bituminous treatment, Item T-31.

Pavement: Width 18 feet, Length 6,240 feet or 1.21 miles.

Proposal No. 4

Marion County, Ohio, on Sections G and H of the Richwood-LaRue Road, State Highway No. 117, State Route No. 37, in Bowling Green Township, by applying a bituminous treatment, Item T-31.

Pavement, Width 18 feet, Length 28,848 feet or 5.50 miles.

Proposal No. 5

Marion County, Ohio, on Sections H and I of the Marion-Mt. Gilead-Western Road, State Highway No. 111, State Route No. 95, in Montgomery Township, by applying a bituminous treatment, Item T-31.

Pavement: Width 18 feet, Length 23,374 feet or 4.45 miles.

Proposal No. 6

Union County, Ohio on Sections M and N of the Bellefontaine-Richwood Road, State Highway No. 235, State Route No. 47, in York Township, by applying a bituminous treatment, Item T-31.

Pavement: Width 18 feet, Length 17,210 feet

Width 19 feet, Length 23,803 feet.

Total length 39,812 feet or 7.54 miles.

Proposal No. 7

Union County, Ohio, on Sections B and C of the Magnetic Springs-East Liberty Road, State Highway No. 736, State Route No. 347, in Liberty and Taylor Township by applying a bituminous treatment, Item T-30 and T-31.

Pavement: Width 18 feet, Length 42,240 feet or 8.00 miles

Total estimated cost....$34 092 25

Proposals No. 1 to 7 inclusive of this project to be completed not later than August 1, 1944

The minimum wage to be paid to all labor employed on this contract shall be in accordance with the Schedule of Prevailing Hourly Wage Rates Ascertained and Determined by The Department of Industrial Relations applicable to State Highway Department Improvements in accordance with Sections 17-3, 17-4, 17-4a, 17-5 and 17-5a of the General Code of Ohio."

The bidder must submit with his bid a certified check in an amount equal to five per cent of the estimated cost, but in no event more than ten thousand dollars.

Plans and specifications are on file in the department of highways and the office of the resident district deputy director.

The director reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

H. G. MOUNTS,
State Highway Director.

Delinquent Land Certification

The lands, lots and part of lots returned delinquent by the Treasurer of Marion County, Ohio, with the taxes, assessments and penalties charged thereon agreeably to law, are contained and described in the following list, viz.

Marion Township

Dominy, Lawrence, S. 9, S.E. cor. NE 6 acres, total $350, tax due $14.74

Dominy, Lawrence, S. 10, S.W. cor. NW, 2 acres, total $140, tax due $15.19.

Oak Knoll Addn.

Branum, Samuel L, Lot No. 12287, Geo E. Scott's, 45 ft., valuation $40, tax due 54c.

Sapp, Nellie Mae, Lot No. 12249, Geo E. Scott's, 45 ft., valuation $40, tax due 54c.

Sapp, Nellie Mae, Lot. No. 12250, Geo. E. Scott's, 45 ft., valuation $40, tax due 54c.

Sapp, Nellie Mae, Lot No. 12251, Geo E. Scott's, 45 ft., valuation $40, tax due 54c.

Sapp, Nellie Mae, Lot No, 12254, Geo. E. Scott's, 45 ft., valuation $40, tax due 54c.

Marion C. S. D., Marion Township

Burke, Herbert and Evelyn E, Lot No 6551, N. State St. Addn., 31.27 ft., valuation $310, tax due $3.92

Drollshaugh, Samuel C., Lot No. 10301 Woodlawn Addn, 40 ft., valuation $30, tax due 38c.

Dwyer, Patrick, Lot No. 10221, Woodlawn Addn., 40 ft., valuation $30 tax due 38c.

Lippincott, Lida M., Lot No 6514, N. State St. Addn., 31.27 ft., valuation $30 tax due 56c.

Simpkins, John and Minnie, Lot No 10425, Woodlawn, 40 ft., valuation $30, tax due 38c.

Montgomery Twp., Montgomery R. S. D.

Mayor, Jos. O., R. 13, T. 5, S 1, Pt. N Pt. N.E., .33 acre, valuation $240 tax due $6.00.

Laclue Village

Hague, Earl and Myrtle, Lot 7, S. 62 ft. valuation $620, tax due $7.82

Mosher, Glen A., Lot 26, Pt. 65 ft., valuation $160, tax due $4.22.

Richland Twp., Claridon R. S. D.

Price Sylvester V., S 9 (Nat. E., S.W. and N.pt. W½, S.E., S E., N.W. and S.W., N.E. 135.75 acres, valuation $3,710 tax due $80.86.

Scott Twp.—Latimerville Lots

Pice John V, Lot No. 25, 66 ft., valuation $450, tax due $10.94.

PROSPECT VILLAGE

Burchard, Fred, Lot No. 45, 18 ft., valuation $360, tax due $10.98

The Crawford Finance Co., Lot No 122, Pt. 24 ft., valuation $30, tax due 62c.

The Crawford Finance Co., Lot No 123, 40½ ft., valuation, $550, tax due $12.30.

The Crawford Finance Co., Lot No 124 40½ ft., valuation $40, tax due 62c.

The Crawford Finance Co. Lot No. 125, valuation $20, tax due 42c.

Tully Township

Case, Clarence C. and Goldie, S. ½ S.E. cor S.W. Tri., .50 acre, valuation $50, tax due 66c.

Morral Corporation

Brooks, Richard, R. 14, T. 4, S. 22, Pat. S. 40 ft., valuation $270, tax due $6.

First Ward—Marion City

Bergerum Theo., R. 15 T. 5, S ... Lo No 222, in 10' drive Har... ... and Ins., 40 ft., valuation ... tax due $7.52.

Miller, Walter E. and Myrtle ... R. 5, S. 22, Lot No 206-7, Pt. W½, N.E. ... ft., valuation $530, tax due $12.42

Rader, Callie, S. 22, Lot No. 187, N.E. N.W. Md. pt., 40 ft., valuation ... tax due $24.27

Rowland, Winifred Dowling, Lot No 870, Aronhalt's, 100 ft., valuation $650 tax due $24.58.

Davis, Aro D Lot No 1501, True's ... 49 ft., valuation $70, tax due ...

Davis, Aro D, Lot No. 1502, True's ... 49 ft., valuation $540, tax due ...

Francis, Lewis M., Lot No. 8751, ... 42 ft., valuation $30, tax due ...

Harding, Elsie Weaver, Lot No. 8447, Geo., 42.4 ft., valuation $30, tax due 56c

Lavalle, Gloropa, Lot No. 1848-9, Mid... S. end, 48 ft., valuation $140 tax due $27.52

Lawrence Walter F. and Bridge, Lot No. 1042, H. and S., 36 ft., valuation $1,640 tax due $20.58.

Rader, Edw. C and Ada, Lot No. 1931 (Div. of Beatty's Addn., Donahue's Sub.) 25 ft., valuation $130, tax due $2.62.

Rader, Callie, Lot No. 966, Beatty's, 58 ft., valuation $900, tax due $26.11.

Sansone, A. J., Lot No. 6012, Fairfax, 41.6 ft., valuation $30, tax due 56c.

Second Ward— Marion City

Morgan, Ernie and Josephine, R. 15, T. 5, S. 21, Lot No. 422, Breen St., 145 ft., valuation $900, tax due $24.65.

Wagner, Floyd, et al, S. 21, Lot 426, Edwards St., 45.9, valuation $750, tax due $12.94.

Bartlett, Kelsey L and Eugenia, Lot No. 4239, Crim, 3", 50 ft., valuation $880, tax due $16.24.

Greenland Harry L, Lot No. 7288, J. and W. 1", 33.33 ft., valuation $110, tax due $2.04.

Rader, Callie, Lot No. 12038, Harding's rear pt., 25 ft., valuation $560, tax due $24.00.

Sunden, Jemima K., Lot No. 7240, Herr's 1", 41.14 ft., valuation $70, tax due $1.30.

Third Ward—Marion City

Hoyles H, S 21, Center St., S.E., S.W., 126 ft., valuation $660, tax due $12.28.

Bartlett Kelsey L, Lot No. 8328, So-We-Go, 25 ft., valuation $30, tax due 56c.

Bartlett, Kelsey L, Lot No. 8340, So-We-Go, 25 ft, valuation $30, tax due 56c.

Bosh, Don F., Lot No 11962, Prospect Pl., 42 ft., valuation $70, tax due $1.95.

Cain, Guy H. and Minnie M., Lot No. 5029, Glenwood, 44 ft., valuation $810, tax due $15.04.

Douce, M. G., and Hattie A., Lot No. 8214-15, So-We-Go, 50 ft., valuation $1,120, tax due $21.02.

Johnson, Daniel et al, Lot No. 881, W. and T. 7" N½, 30 ft., valuation $1,740, tax due $48.51.

Lumberson, Helen E., Lot No. 12932, Oakland Hts, Replatted, 55 ft, valuation $90, tax due $2.52.

Lumberson, Helen E. Lot No. 12933, Oakland Hts, Replatted, 55 ft., valuation $80, tax due $2.52.

Lumberson, Helen E., Lot No. 12924, Oakland Hts., Replatted, valuation $80, tax due $2.52.

Moon, Edw. S, Lot No 8224, So-We-Go, 25 ft., valuation $30, tax due 56c.

Moon, Edw. S., Lot No 8225, So-We-Go, 25 ft., valuation $30, tax due 56c.

Neely, Clem, Lot No 2193-4, Thompson's, 45 ft., valuation $1,350, tax due 22.24.

Neely, Scott, Lot No. 2192, Thompson's, 29 ft., valuation $1,190, tax due $22.14.

Prettyman, Jos. L, Lot No 6732, Rosewood, 44 ft, valuation $80, tax due $1.50.

Price, Jessie H. and Ethel Lot No 7427, Avondale 2nd Sec., 30 ft., valuation $50, tax due $2.25.

Price Jessie H. and Ethel, Lot No. 7428, Avondale 2nd, Sec., 40 ft., valuation $100, tax due $2.82

Russell, Blanche Butcher, Lot No. 2188-9, Thompson's, 19¾ ft., valuation $540, tax due $17.88.

Saunders, Gladys, Lot No. 4476, Jct. Place, 40 ft., valuation $250, tax due $4.64.

Stiles, Shelton M., Lot No. 11297, Clermont, 41 ft., valuation $180, tax due $8.40.

The Peoples Bldg. Sav & Loan Co., Lot No 3169, Y. and L., 50.3 ft., valuation $2,060, tax due $38.30.

The Peoples Bldg. & Loan Co., of Delaware, O., Lot No. 566, W. and T., Blaine ave, Send., 50 ft., valuation $3,080, tax due $56.90.

The Peoples Bldg. & Loan Co of Delaware, O., Lot No. 10185-9, Oakgrove, 76.6 ft., valuation $1,710, tax due $31.80.

Fourth Ward—Marion City

Crane, Jennie, R. 15, T. 5, S 22, Lot No. 562, Pt. N.W., 51 ft., valuation $3,100, tax due $58.59.

Harding, Elsie Weaver, Lot No. 8324, S. and C., 48 ft., valuation $250, tax due $4.64.

Harding, Elsie Weaver, Lot No. 8446, S. and C., 48 ft., valuation $120, tax due $5.84.

Lyon, John, Lot No. 2172, True's 5", 50 ft., valuation $470, tax due $8.74.

Walsh,

FARMERS GET CHOICE OF TAX FILING TIME

Farmers may file their declarations of estimated tax April 15 or may wait until Dec. 15, Harry F. Busey, collector of internal revenue in Columbus, said today.

Farmers are defined by the tax laws as those who receive 80 per cent or more of their income from agriculture. They are the only taxpayers who have this choice of filing dates.

"Before you make your decision, however," Collector Busey advised farmers, "you ought to realize that if you file April 15 you can make your income tax payments in four quarterly installments, but if you wait until Dec. 15 you will have to pay the whole year's estimated tax in one lump sum."

The collector explained that when the pay-as-you-go system was adopted last year, it was realized that because of the seasonal nature and weather hazards of farming it might be difficult for some farmers to estimate their income and calculate their estimated tax early in the year. For that reason, they were given the option of waiting until Dec. 15. However, many types of farming result in fairly even income through the year, and it may be to the advantage of some farmers to file early and qualify for installment payments.

Farmers who want to file in April may calculate their tax by either estimating their prospective income for 1944 or by assuming it will be the same as last year. If the tax is based on last year's income and this year's rates and exemptions, and the payments are made on time, there can be no penalty if the estimate fails short. Otherwise, a farmer's estimate will not result in a penalty unless it is more than 33 1-3 per cent short. In any case, April estimates may be amended on June 15, Sept. 15, or Dec. 15.

The law requires farmers to file declarations if they expect their income this year to be $500 or more in the case of a single person or more than $624 in the case of a married person.

CHARGES LONERGAN JURY

By The Associated Press

NEW YORK, March 31—General Sessions Judge James Garrett Wallace today began his charge to an all-male jury that will determine RCRAF Aircraftman Wayne Lonergan's fate on a first degree murder charge. Lonergan appeared calm although it was expected the jury might reach a decision by nightfall as to whether he choked and beat to death his wealthy wife, Patricia. The charge was read behind locked doors to avoid interruptions as were the final arguments of defense and prosecution yesterday.

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Allied Drives in Burma To Pave Invasion Path

By DEWITT MACKENZIE
Associated Press War Analyst

The strange medley of fighting in the fearsome jungles of Burma is taking on a very definite pattern in which we can recognize planned and coordinated spade-work for the ultimate amphibious invasion of that country when we hit the final stretch of trail for Tokyo.

It is southeastern Asia's counterpart of the allied preparatory work in the Pacific. We have a fine example of the latter in today's news of the trio of attacks on important Japanese bases—the bombardment of the island of Palau, only 550 miles from the Philippines, by an American fleet; MacArthur's first aerial attack on the great enemy base of Truk, and his bombing of Hollandia, an enemy stronghold on New Guinea.

What, thank you, is the lure which draws our leather-faced Lt. General Joseph Stilwell personally into the steaming Burmese hell, when he has important work elsewhere as our commander in chief for China, Burma and India? Or our Brigadier General Frank Merrill with his specially trained jungle fighters from the Pacific? Or Britain's mystery soldier, Major General Orde Wingate—jungle specialist extraordinary who led his famous Wingate raiders in their sensational invasion of Burma a year ago?

In Burma for Reason

Well, these key men aren't in Burma because of any special new threat from the enemy. This assemblage of the chiefs of the jungle fighting clan means that Burma is being prepared for the day when a water borne invasion will sweep into it from the Bay of Bengal.

These new allied operations (or at least part of them) had their birth as I understand it, at the allied conference of Quebec last August. Wingate's amazing and useful adventure with his column of raiders among the Japanese of Burma had attracted Prime Minister Churchill's attention and the jungle-fighter was invited to Quebec.

There it was decided that Wingate should head another expedition—the one now in operation in conjunction with the Stilwell's drive and Merrill's specially trained killers. U. S. Chief of Staff Marshall is said to have promised Wingate American air support (which he is getting) and also sent to India the men now serving as Marauders under Merrill. Incidentally, Charles J. Rolo, British author of "Wingate's Raiders," tells me that both Wingate's present expedition and Merrill's men were given a post-graduate course in central India's fiercest jungle for months in preparation for the present job.

Fierce Fighting in Progress

Fierce and bloody fighting is in progress in northern Burma. It is hottest in the zone surrounding the big Japanese base of Myitkyina, and just over the Indian border in the state of manipur which the Japanese have invaded.

The allied offensive is aimed at driving the enemy out of the northern tip of Burma so that land communications with China can be reestablished. That communication was cut when we lost the Burma road. We now want to run a highway across Burma so as to join the Chinese end of the Burma road and the new road which has been built through India to Ledo on the northwestern border of Burma.

In order to knock the Japanese out of that region we must have the important rail-head of Myitkyina. So Stilwell is pushing southward towards that base with his Chinese troops. Merrill with his jungle fighters is on Stilwell's right. A British expedition is on "Uncle Joe's" left. Wingate with his glider troops is south of the town and is supported by another British column.

On assumes that the allies are trying to capture Myitkyina before the Monsoon deluge comes in a month or so to halt major fighting.

As for the Nipponese "invasion" of India, General Sir Claude Auchinleck, allied commander in chief in India, assures us that the security of India, "has never been in danger."

ITALY

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Fortresses and Liberators, in the greatest force ever sent out by the 15th air force against a single target, attacked railway objectives in Sofia, the Bulgarian capital, other bombers spread over Italy and into Yugoslavia, hitting airfields, rail targets and shipping.

The American bombers and their escort encountered 10 German planes in the Sofia area and shot down 13.

The German bombs fell in the beachhead hospital area at dusk Wednesday when allied planes intercepted seven attacking planes.

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STRAY DOGS TARGET OF DRIVE IN COUNTY

Two Owners Fined in Warden's Campaign.

Two Caledonia men were fined yesterday in Justice of Peace E. A. Burson's court at Caledonia on a charge of failing to register dogs. The men, Frank Conley and H. H. Coyle were arrested on affidavits filed by Elmer Ullom, county dog warden. Conley, charged with failure to register a female dog, was fined $25 and costs, $15 of which was suspended. An affidavit charging him with permitting a female dog to run at large was dropped. Failure to apply for registration for his dog drew a fine of $25 with a $15-dollar suspension for Coyle. Both were ordered to purchase licenses for their dogs.

A drive is being made throughout the county to rid it of stray dogs and to see that every dog is provided with a license tag. It was pointed out today by Warden Ullom that it has been two months today since any sheep has been reported killed in the county. In discussing the importance of ridding the county of strays, and also of having dogs licensed, he called attention to the fact that the gardening season is practically here and emphasized the fact that dogs should be kept at home to avoid possible destruction of property and neighborhood unpleasantness.

There are approximately 800 dogs in the county without licenses, the records show. Dogs must be licensed after three months of age, and there is a penalty of from $10 to $25 for harboring an unlicensed animal, he states. Licenses, which may be had at the county auditor's office are one dollar for a male dog, one dollar for a spayed female and three dollars for a female.

COLLETT

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C. H. by Sheriff W. C. Icenhower and started on his journey to death row.

He was not handcuffed, but sat between special deputies and, throughout the trip, spoke almost light-heartedly of the bright sunny days of the farms they passed, but nothing of the crime of which he was convicted nor the doom ahead.

They passed, one of the deputies said, the farm of Mr. and Mrs. John Browning about five miles from Washington C. H. Collett, gazing at the home of his friends, remarked:

"Poor John and Fanny. They'll hate this too bad!"

Collett appeared composed as he stepped out of the automobile at the penitentiary and walked unassisted into the front entrance. His face was white and haggard, he wore no necktie under the high collar that supports his injured neck; and his long hair dropped loosely down over the collar.

The Bible appeared comparatively new, and Collett slipped it under his arm as he came into the prison and went inside for processing before he is sent to death row.

Warden Frank Henderson said the processing — identification, examination, photographing—would take about half an hour.

Then he will be taken to death row and placed in cell No. 2, immediately beside that of Henry Hagert, 18-year-old Cleveland youth awaiting execution for the slaying of twin boys last year. There are no others in death row, which is located in L block in the northwest section of the prison.

Collett became No. 81269.

The German dusk attack followed a futile afternoon raid against beachhead shipping in which at least 10 of the 40 raiders were destroyed.

Twelve allied planes were lost in yesterday's 1,500 sorties. Fifteen German craft were shot down and two destroyed on the ground.

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By The Associated Press

LONDON, March 31—The German communique declared today that an allied force "encircled southwest of Cassino for some considerable time" had been annihilated after stubborn resistance. The broadcast communique added that German shock troops had captured several allied strongholds in northern Cassino.

RAF

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searchlights and other frontline equipment.

It is the junction of rail lines leading from the Ruhr to southeast Germany and from Berlin to Munich and Italy. It had a peacetime population of 450,000.

The record loss suffered by the RAF—which the Germans attributed to fighters rather than to ground defenses — demonstrated that reichs-marshal's air force still has a potent wallop when it cares to take the risk.

The previous top loss for the RAF was 79 in the raid on Leipzig Feb. 19.

A U. S. communique last night announced that American Thunderbolts yesterday attacked German airfields in Holland and the Holland-German border region, using both bombs and guns in their assaults. One Thunderbolt was lost and one German plane was destroyed.

London had brief alert last night, but an official announcement said scattered bombs caused only slight damage and a small number of casualties.

The British soon will put into use a new "super-fighter." A cryptic announcement circulated to the London press last night said it would have a "more sensational performance than any now in use."

MOTHER OF QUADS. Quadruplets born in a New York hospital to Mrs. Harry Zarief, above, are reported "healthy and perfectly natural, though a little premature" by Dr. Benjamin B. Watson, professor of obstetrics at Columbia university, who attended the birth. Father of the three daughters and one son is a 33-year-old violinist. The couple has one other child.

37th First Class Fighters

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was ready. With a brilliant military record both in the regular Army and in the National Guard, this man set to work to mold a fast moving, hard hitting team.

Goal Kept in Mind

Through the trying days at Camp Shelby when the division moved into a partially completed camp, and through the long hours of basic training, platoon, company, battalion, regimental and division field maneuvers, through the tiresome days of range practice, General Beightler drove his men with his eyes on ultimate physical combat with the enemy. Many in the division said the old outfit would never get into combat but General Beightler only nodded and went on with the arduous program of training which he had outlined for his troops. Somehow he knew that these men who looked to him for guidance would be in a spot where only superb training and rigid discipline would get them out.

The maneuvers in Louisiana, Mississippi and Texas in 1941 were tough, in fact, tougher in many cases than actual fighting in New Georgia and Bougainville. The division reached its peak of combat efficiency early in 1942. The men had run the gauntlet of the complete Army training program and they were spoiling for a fight. Now General Beightler's job was to keep that spirit high, keep his troops from going stale. After the move to the Indiantown Gap military reservation in Pennsylvania in February, 1942, the division was alerted to go overseas and now the problem was procurement of adequate clothing and equipment tough enough to stand up under jungle conditions.

Busy With Preparations

Upon arrival in Fiji the 37th relieved a skeleton division of the New Zealand army and set about to defend the islands. For nearly a year troops dug thousands of foxholes, laid hundreds of miles of wire and maneuvered in the field continually. Again was heard the old cry "the 37th will never see action." But General Beightler, whose son Robert Jr. is a graduate of West Point and a first lieutenant in the Army's parachute corps, worked on tirelessly. Perhaps he was using for his military yard stick his experiences as an officer with the 166th infantry of Ohio which formed part of the famous Rainbow divison during World war I.

The move to Guadalcanal's battle fields in April, 1943, brought the 37th a little closer to combat but in spite of numerous air raids the now familiar cat call of "the 37th will never see action," continued to be heard. This time General Beightler answered these statements with even more rigid discipline and maneuvering continued on the same plan as it had back in the early days of induction.

Then came the division's opportunity to put into practice all those training tenets which General Beightler had pounded into them for nearly three years.

Repeating the story of the 37th's action in the campaign for the vital Munda airfield would only be telling a story that's been told a thousand times before but again let the record speak for itself. The Mudna airfield was taken in a period of a month and the 37th was in there slugging all the way. You may talk of front line generals but you can't tie this one. This man who was awarded the Legion of Merit by the Navy and the distinguished service medal by the Army directed the division's action from a fox hole barely 300 yards from the front lines. It was necessary that General Beightler have his headquarters close to his fighting troops so that's just where he located it.

(It was announced Wednesday that General Beightler had been awarded the silver star for valor under fire during the campaign.)

Prepared for Bougainville

General Beightler knew that he and his unit would go with the Marines to Bougainville. Instead of a rest in a rear area all the time was spent reequipping, ironing out some rough spots that had cropped up in the Munda battle and getting the men in a suitable frame of mind to again come to grips with the Japanese.

The 37th that went into Bougainville was a battle-hardened, veteran division which knew all the angles of jungle fighting. It was a return engagement of a carefully rehearsed play. The division knew its job, what was expected and it came through like seasoned troopers.

You can't write the story of the 37th without mentioning General Beightler in every other line and you can't write the story of General Beightler without continually bringing up the subject of Ohio's own fighting men.

In an interview with an army combat correspondent General Beightler said, "I've got a couple of important conferences waiting but if you want to talk about the 37th division I'll stay with you for a week." That's how it is.

Perhaps no man is as symbolical of the fighting might of Ohio as is General Beightler. Ohio is proud of its battling sons and of the man who leads them.

But let's get a little more intimate with General Beightler's background. A background which has supplied inspired leadership for one of the finest divisions in the United States Army.

Native of Marysville

He was born in Marysville, O., a little town north of Columbus, March 21, 1892. He followed his enlistment in 1911 with service on the Mexican border in 1916. When it became apparent that his unit would not get to France he resigned a commission as second lieutenant in the regular army and joined the Rainbow division and was with that unit in all its campaigns. After a tour with the army of occupation he again resigned a regular army commission, this one of captain, and became affiliated with the Ohio National Guard as a major. In 1926 he graduated at the head of his class at the commamnd and general staff school, Ft. Leavenworth, Kan., and also completed a course at the Army's war college in Washington. His academic record here was so impressive that the Army kept him on for four years as a member of the war plan division of the general staff.

He has two children, both by a former marriage, Lieutenant Beightler and Marjorie Ann, who is now Mrs. Richard I. Taylor, Jr., of Columbus. A brother, Charles S. Beightler, a 1922 graduate of the United States naval academy, is a commander in the regular Navy on sea duty.

He was, before induction, highway director for Ohio, and is an engineer by profession. He is a warm, personal friend of Gov. John W. Bricker and most any fall Saturday, when there isn't a war on you'll see him sitting and standing alternately in Ohio stadium rooting like mad for the football gladiators of his alma mater.

This man who has disciplined himself as well as the men of the Buckeye division in the making of a great fighting machine, was not found wanting when the safety of his state and his nation was imperiled. The Pearl Harbor day headache found him and his division ready to take the field against any of the country's enemies.

Someone once said something about England's wars being won on the playing fields of Eton. General Beightler agrees with that immortal statement but adds "don't overlook the months and years of the drudgery of training, training and more training."

This is the man who has led "Ohio's own" to victory and the Japs haven't heard the last of the 37th division.

T. A. Corwin Dies Suddenly at Galion

Special to The Star

EDISON, March 31—Thomas A. Corwin, 59, was found dead yesterday in his room in the Norman hotel in Galion where he had been employed for past two months.

Born in Morrow county on Oct. 16, 1884 to Silas and Rebekah Hershner Corwin, he is survived by a son, Paul, of Bucyrus, two daughters, Mrs. H. M. Yarman of Fredericktown and Mrs. Richard Kalb of Bucyrus, two brothers, Lloyd and Frank Corwin of Mt. Gilead, and two sisters, Mrs. Roy Sherman of Sprata and Mrs. Elsie Coleman of Edison. Thirteen grandchildren are also living.

Funeral services will be held Saturday at 2 p. m. in the Craven Funeral Home of Mt. Gilead with Rev. Harry T. Finney officiating. Burial will be in Bryn Zion cemetery near Mt. Gilead.

British Shoot Down U. S. Transport Plane

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON, March 31 — British fighter planes from an aircraft carrier shot down a U. S. Army transport airplane and its crew of six by error in the Atlantic this week, the war department and the British admiralty jointly today.

The fighters were protecting an allied convoy, said the announcement, and apparently mistook the four-engine C-54 transport plane for a German Focke-Wulf 200 bomber when identification was not established as the transport plane approached the convoy.

There were no passengers on the plane, which was loaded with cargo. It was flown by a civilian contract crew, all of whom were lost.

BOBBY JONES PROMOTED

By The Associated Press

LONDON, March 31—Robert T. (Bobby) Jones, the Atlanta, Ga., lawyer who made golf history, has been promoted from major to lieutenant colonel. The announcement was made today by the American Ninth airforce fighter command in which the former golf champion has been stationed as an intelligence officer.

The Ferrying Command of the Army Air Forces was established in May, 1941.

FERGUSON ORDERS PROBE OF SEC. HUMMEL'S AID

Purchase of Index Cards Also Under Investigation.

By The Associated Press

COLUMBUS, O., March 31—State Auditor Joseph T. Ferguson announced today he had begun an investigation of the employment of a special investigator by Secretary of State Edward J. Hummel and the purchase by Hummel of index cards.

Hummel told newsmen he had a "perfect right to employ a special examiner if I want to" and added: "I have nothing to hide or to shield."

The special investigator, Ferguson said, is George S. Houston, a consulting engineer of Cincinnati, employed by Hummel last July 1 at a salary of $300 a month. Hummel admitted to newsmen that Houston was one of his largest campaign contributors.

Ferguson said the other phase of the investigation revolved around Hummel's purchase for $975 of 21,600 index cards from the Control Visible Index Co. of Cincinnati.

Payment for the cards as well as Houston's pay check has been ordered held up.

CHAPLIN RECALLED TO STAND TODAY

By The Associated Press

LOS ANGELES, March 31—White-haired Charlie Chaplin was recalled to the witness stand today to enact one of the most dramatic roles of his long, colorful career—a further denial of government charges he transported his former protegee, Joan Berry, to New York and back for immoral purposes.

The 54-year-old comedian's first day on the stand was climaxed by one big moment that rivaled in tenseness that of Miss Berry's final day of testimony last Friday when she neared collapse as the defense introduced some of her letters to him.

Tears welled in Chaplin's eyes and he dabbed at them with a handkerchief as he related yesterday that the 24-year-old Miss Berry, armed with a pistol, came to his Beverly Hills home one night and said: "I'm going to kill you."

Earlier, he vigorously denied Miss Berry's previous claim that they had been intimate both in the film actor's suit at New York's Waldorf-Astoria hotel in October, 1942, and following her return to California.

These claims by her are the basis of the Government's two Mann act violation charges against Chaplin.

Chaplin, the great comic mime of silent picture days, gestured frequently as he testified in tones that rang through the courtroom.

Alternately he turned to his attorney, Gerry Giesler, the jury and to Federal Judge J. F. T. O'Connor.

Nattily attired and the cynosure of a packed courtroom, Chaplin testified Miss Berry broke into his home the night of Dec. 23, 1942, threatened to kill him with a pistol she flourished, and later said she was going to kill herself.

She refused to leave, the actor declared, and finally he permitted her to spend the night in a room separated from his by a bathroom and a door he said he locked himself.

The next morning, the witness said, she departed, leaving the gun, after he gave her $50 and promised her more.

Chaplin denied Miss Berry's allegations that in September, 1942, shortly before her New York trip, he had asked her if she would like to go to New York with him.

RED CROSS

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591.25; Sixth, Mrs. E. Paul Bachman, $6,182.09; total, $19,693.88.

The following rural districts are still under their quota, Eugene Willey, chairman, announced: Agosta, quota $160, subscriptions $124.25; Bowling Green $420, $406.75; Claridon $600, $588.50; Caledonia village $400, $285.50; Marion township $750, $475.25; Prospect township $450, $367; Prospect village $1,100, $745.16; Tully township $450, $323.06; Waldo township $785, $709.10.

Townships that have topped their quotas are: LaRue, Big Island, Grand Prairie, Green Camp township, Montgomery, Salt Rock, Pleasant, Richland, Scott and Grand.

A special fund totaling $1,736.33 was listed in last night's report. Theater collections were totaled as follows: Palace $752.79, Ohio $400, Marion $274.19 and State $125.50.

A notice posted on the bulletin boards of the Fairfield Engineering Co. and Marion Steam Shovel Co. explaining to all employes that if any wished to contribute who had not been contacted they could call at the shop office with their contributions. Fairfield reported $151.25 and Marion Steam Shovel $23. A gift of $45 from various groups of Pleasant township Trinity Lutheran church, was also reported.

Paroled Star Returns for Reformatory Show

By The Associated Press

MARYSVILLE, O., March 31—The theater has such a hold on Nellie "Blondie" Pounds that she has returned to prison to exercise her talents.

Miss Pounds was the Negro star with blond (peroxided) hair who wowed the spectators in "Fall Festival," an all-girl musical show staged by the Ohio women's reeformatory last November.

Supt. Marguerite Reilley decided to put on another show as a Red Cross benefit but "Blondie" was missing. She was paroled three weeks ago.

As the curtain went up last night on "Patriotic Frolics," the current production, the Negro actress was on the stage. She had returned to participate as a guest star—not as a guest of the state.

Taxes Go Up on "Fools" Day

April 1 Just Date on Calendar To Treasury Department.

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON, March 31 — "...The first day of April, a day on which playful tricks and impositions are practiced."

That's Webster's definition of All Fools day, but not the treasury's.

Beginning at midnight tonight a lot of new taxes go into effect, and no fooling.

The origin of the new taxes is a little $2,315,000,000 revenue number that became law recently over the veto of President Roosevelt, who said it was inadequate and inequitable.

The new excise rates will yield an estimated $1,000,000,000 or more a year.

The balance of the additional revenue comes from higher postal rates that went into effect last Sunday and from changes in individual and corporation income taxes.

More than half the increased take will come from steeper liquor levies; a $9-a-gallon impost on hard liquors compared with the present $6 rate; the new $8-a-barrel beer tax, and wine increases ranging from 33 1/3 to 100 per cent cent.

Here in summary form are the principle tax changes:

Old Rate	New Rate
Admissions	
1 cent a dime	1 cent a nickel
Boxes, Seats and Ticket "Scalpers"	
11 per cent	20 per cent
Cabaret Charges	
5 per cent	30 per cent
Club Dues and Initiations	
11 per cent	20 per cent
Jewelry (X), Furs, and Toilet Preparations	
10 per cent	20 per cent
Travel Tickets	
10 per cent	15 per cent
Light Bulbs	
5 (mfgr's price)	20 (mfgr's price)
Long Distance Calls	
20 per cent	25 per cent
Local Phone Service	
10 per cent	15 per cent
Telegrams	
15 per cent	25 per cent

Sunday May Bring Answer To Question of Marion Baseball

By The Associated Press

LIMA, O., March 31—Joe Donnelly, president of the Ohio State Baseball league, said today there would be no decision before Sunday as to whether an operator can be found to attempt to bring Marion back into the league's fold for the 1944 season.

Donnelly said Dale Miller, former secretary of the Indianapolis American Association team who had expressed an interest in the Marion franchise, was unable to meet with him yesterday but had promised to attend the league meeting at Columbus Sunday.

Hank Rigney, Toledo baseball promoter, and another possibilty as operator of the Marion franchise, also is expected to attend the Sunday meeting.

Marion is the only proposed city in the six-club circuit for which an operator has not been found. Some doubt was expressed at Marion as to whether financial backing could be found there for the club.

Donnelly said he expected a decision early next week on a proposal that the St. Louis Cardinals use the Lima team as a farm club. Donnelly now is operating the Lima franchise and had planned to go independently if major league support could not be obtained.

The Cardinal chain this year includes only one Class D team—Johnson City, Tenn., in the Appalachian league.

Africa, with 20 per cent of the area of the world, has about 7.5 per cent of the population.

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STABILIZED MONEY URGED BY BRICKER

By The Associated Press

COLORADO SPRINGS, C March 31—Gov. Bricker of O believes a standard internat exchange will be needed to ster post-war trade.

The Republican presidential pirant, concluding a through the state with an adv here last night, told a rall after the war there must be "stabilized currency and a stored faith in it."

"That means," he added, "we will have to take away from the President the power to take away a piece of the Amer dollar whenever he chooses. And there will have to be a stand international exchange with a constant understanding throughout the world on the relative values of the currencies, instead of a competitive valuation among the nations."

Bricker also declared every effort should be made to prevent confusion in American industry when plants reconvert from wartime to peacetime work.

To aid the return to normal business after hostilities end surplus war materials and commodities should be fed into regular trade channels slowly and carefully, the Ohio chief executive asserted.

He again criticized the administration for what he termed its failure to keep the public fully informed on all matters except those which would give information to the enemy.

The governor was asked if he believed the United States should keep troops stationed continuously in foreign lands after the war.

"Just as soon as the war is won," Bricker said, "and there is stabilized government abroad, every American soldier ought to be brought back to Americ."

Asked if he felt there was a tendency to delay the winning of the war until after the election, Bricker replied.

"Oh, no. I think everyone wants to win the war as soon as possible."

C. & O. KILLS FARMER

By The Associated Press

DELAWARE, O., March 31—A Chesapeake & Ohio locomotive struck and killed Frederick J. Clements, 72-year-old farmer of near Powell, as he walked along the track.

An enterprising Yankee fur trader on the west coast once swapped a rusty iron chisel for $8,000 worth of furs.

RUPTURE
SHIELD EXPERT HERE
H. M. SHEVNAN, widely known expert of Chicago, will personally be at Hotel Harding, Marion, Sunday and Monday, only, April 2 and 3, from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
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Nevada Soldier Receives Award

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NEVADA—With the Army on [illegible], for exemplary conduct in combat, Pfc. Jack J. [illegible] son of Mrs. Lillian Butchhas been presented the [illegible]'s newest award for infantrymen, the combat infantryman [illegible]. The medal is a silver rifle on a blue field with a silver border, imposed on an eliptical silver wreath. Since starting his overseas service on May 26, 1942, he has been stationed on the Fiji Islands, Guadalcanal and the Russell islands and is a veteran of the New Georgia campaign.

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The Nevada W.C.T.U. met Tuesday with Mrs. Cathleen King.

Mrs. Joseph Coons was hostess at the March meeting of the Eastern Star Sewing Circle. Five dollars was given the Red Cross drive.

Members of the Nevada Temple of Pythian Sisters attended inspection of Mary Lincoln Temple at Sycamore Tuesday night.

Mrs. Benaice Christensen was hostess to the Laf-A-Lot club Wednesday night.

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After operating the Clover Farm grocery for the past six years, Mrs. Eunice Hones has sold the business to Serge Montooth of Upper Sandusky, who will take possession April 4.

Groups Entertained at Cardington Homes

Special to The Star

CARDINGTON—Mrs. Frank L. Miller entertained the Monday Niters, Monday night with three tables of bridge. Club prizes went to Mrs. Harry Curl and Mrs. Marion Ladd. Guest prize to Mrs. Lowell Murphy and Mrs. E. C. Sherman was consoled.

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Mrs. Harold Kramer and daughter entertained Sunday with a dinner honoring the birthdays of her husband and her father Sam Linstedt. Those present were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Linstedt and the baby's great grandmothers, Mrs. Maggie Jenkins and Mrs. Mary Linstedt.

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The choir of the Cardington Methodist church of 30 voices will present the cantata, "Christ Victorious," by Roy E. Nolte, Palm Sunday evening at 7:30 under the direction of Richard Dambach. In addition to numbers of the choir, there will be solo, duet, trio, and quartet numbers.

SGT. HEIMLICH HOME FROM CASSINO FRONT

Soldier from Near Cardington in Hard Fighting.

CARDINGTON — Master Sgt. Ivan Heimlich is home visiting his father of southwest of Cardington after spending 19 months in North Africa, Sicily and Italy. He was accompanied here by his wife, the former Mrs. Joseph Eschelbach of Red Bank, N. J., whom he married Aug. 13, 1942 just two days before receiving his orders for duty over seas.

Sgt. Heimlich joined the army seven years ago and spent four years at Fort Monmouth, N. J. After two years in other sections of this country he left for Great Britain in the fall of 1942. He was a member of the signal corps battalion and in one of the first waves to land in Oran. He saw service in the Kasserine Pass, Sbeitla area and then went to Sicily. After the Sicilian campaign the corps crossed the Messina straits and joined troops in Naples where they were moved into position to relieve other corps, and from there into the Cassino fighting when orders came through for his corps to report to headquarters and received the word that they were going home after 19 months service.

He has earned three combat stars, a good conduct medal and an American defense bar. Sgt. Heimlich states that in his estimation in comparing the three battle fronts that the African battle was bad but could not compare with the Italian campaign. He reports that in Africa the corps lives in places which were alive with mines, in Sicily the mines were mostly in the valleys, while in Italy they had everything. The sergeant said it takes a lot of men to get one man out of a foxhole in the Cassino sector and a very slow job. He said town after town in Italy has been blown to bits and that he could not get used to seeing so many buildings here in the states being whole and having roofs on them.

THEATER ADMISSION COST TO GO HIGHER SATURDAY

New Law Requires Patrons To Pay Tax.

Admission prices to the four Marion theaters will be increased starting Saturday, in accordance with the new federal admissions tax law.

Managers of the four theaters announced today that their prices will be as follows: Palace, children 14 cents, service men .30, balcony .44 and main floor .55; Ohio, children .12, servicemen .25, adult (matinee) .40, balcony .40, main floor .50; Marion, children .12 servicemen .20, matinee .30, evening .35; State children .12 and adults .25.

The increase averages about 1 cent tax on each five cents admission. An announcement from the Independent Theater Owners of Ohio of Columbus explained the tax is mandatory and must be paid by the theater patron with the owner acting simply as collector for the government.

Juvenile Court Puts Four on Probation

Two girls, aged 19 and 15, and an 11-year-old boy, picked up by patrolmen over the week-end, were placed on probation to their parents yesterday in juvenile court. The 19-year-old girl was charged with contributing to the delinquency of minors and the others with violating curfew.

A 16-year-old boy, also picked up by police over the week-end for permitting another person to use his operator's license, was turned over to his parents on probation by Juvenile Judge Oscar Gast.

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Ritz Crackers 21c
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Softball Commission Elects New Officers at Annual Dinner

By CHARLES ELLIOTT

The election of a new president, T. H. McKenney, district softball commissioner, and vice president, Elmer Smith, county clerk of courts, and the selection of four city commission members, three new and one reelected, featured the 1944 Marion softball banquet in the assembly room of the Y. M. C. A. last night.

Marion Mewhorter, Y. M. C. A. program director, was appointed to serve his second year as commission secretary and Roy Waddell, who has been commission treasurer since the origin of the body here almost 20 years ago, was unanimously chosen to be treasurer for the coming season.

Election of the four commission officers came at a meeting of the commission after the banquet. The one commissioner reelected is Mr. Smith, the new vice president. Three new faces will appear on the commission this summer—as Paul Rice, Lowell Cook and Mr. McKenney were elected by representatives of the various city league teams at the banquet last night.

Mr. McKenney succeeds as president Elmer Shaw, city auditor, who assumed the presidential duties last year after Anson Pickerel, commission head for several seasons, tendered his resignation. As commissioner for this district of the state softball association, McKenney directed the district tournament at Lincoln park here last August. It was decided at the post-banquet commission confab to hold final organization meeting for the 1944 season at the Y next week. Mr. McKenney expressed his hope that entire commission of 12 members would be able to attend this meeting, at which the opening date for the coming season will be determined along with new policies, in regard to player eligibility and action of managerial suggestions made at the banquet last night.

Among the Proposals

Of the more prominent suggestions made by team managers and players at the banquet were:

1. To throw the city softball leagues this summer "wide open" as concerns player eligibility. It was brought out that the personnel status of all teams this year will vary throughout the schedule because the draft gobbling up manpower. Mewhorter explained that a relaxation of eligibility rules proved successful in the Y. M. C. A.-sponsored county basketball league this winter and that a similar procedure in softball might be advisable.

2. To have at least two leagues this summer—the Industrial and Sunday school. Players were unanimous in declaring there should be at least two nights a week of league softball this year. Rather than operate three loops, it was suggested that the Commercial circuit, which ran with two teams last year, be disbanded and its players be made eligible for competition in the other two leagues.

3. To work out a system whereby the three regularly-used city softball diamonds could be whipped into good playing shape before the season opener in May and be maintained in such condition for the entire season. It was pointed out that all three parks—Lincoln, McKinley and Garfield—were in poor shape for most of last season, Lincoln finally being fixed up at the time of the district tournament Marion Little World Series.

4. To map out a definite preseason practice schedule. Several players complained of many mixups in the scheduling of practices before the season started last year and suggested this be avoided this year by careful planning.

10 Teams Now Ready

Mr. Shaw, who served as banquet toastmaster, stated that 10 teams have signified their willingness to enter teams in city leagues this summer. Only one team entered last year will not be in the loops this season, if a canvass of the outfits represented at the banquet last night is any criterion. That team is Coca-Cola, which won the Commercial league title last year. However, most of the players who performed for Coca-Cola last year probably will register with another local firm which has indicated it would like to sponsor a squad this season. Two other prospective new entrants are the Barq Bottling Co. and Old Fort Mills.

When asked by Mr. Shaw what type of a team they would field this year, some managers, especially those in the Sunday school league, said they would be fortunate enough to scrape together enough players. However, these players probably will be "senior and junior high school boys," perhaps some even younger, as was the case in the church circuit last year.

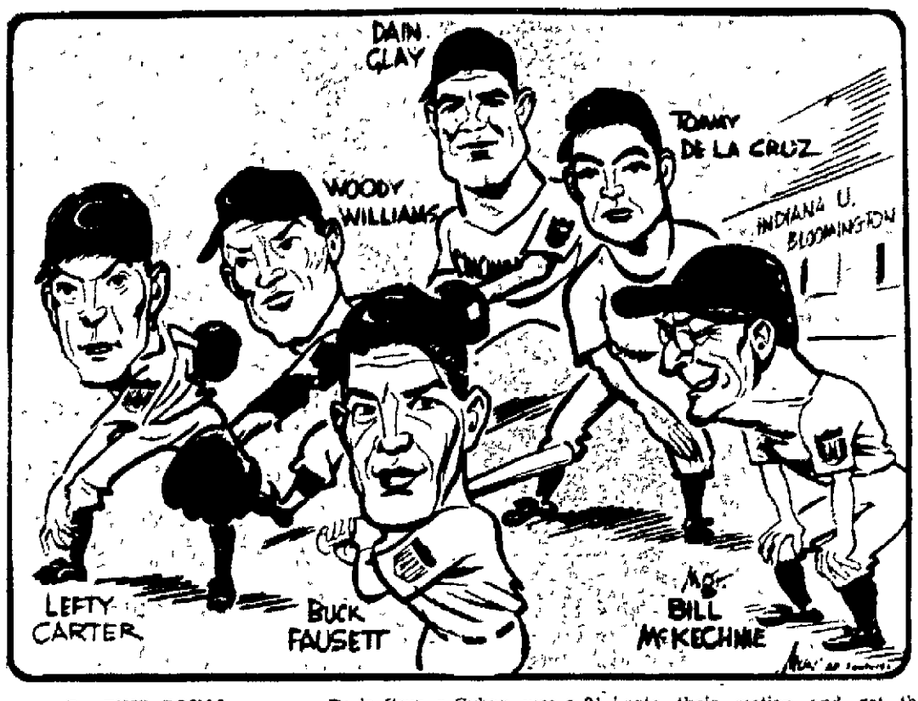
Guests Introduced

John Clark gave the invocation, after which dinner was served to the some 30 local softballers. Guests introduced were Mr. McKenney and John Ruth, city safety-service director. Following these introductions was the presentation of the 1943 city softball championship pennants. To Universal Cooler, represented by Manager Bill Darnell, went the pennants for winning the Industrial and city titles. Coca-Cola, represented by Watt Merchant, received the Commercial league bunting. Epworth's pennant for taking th 1943 Sunday school league crown was awarded by Mr. Shaw to John Clark, the dean of Marion softball. In making the award, Shaw said, "Here's" another one of these for you, John.

A talk on some sidelights in the 100-year-old history of baseball was given by Earl N. Hale, executive secretary of the Y. M. C. A. Mr. Hale gave some colorful "backstage." little-known facts concerning some of baseball's immortals, including Christy Mathewson, Ty Cobb, Abner Doubleday, the game's founder, and Rube Waddell. He told of some of the exploits of the Cincinnati Red Stockings, the first professional baseball team in America.

Others up for the four commissioners' positions were Ray Smallwood, W. P. Freshour, Carl Detwiler, John Marshall and Harold Smith. Commissioners whose terms expired this spring were Ray Smallwood, Elmer Smith, Robert Kelly and Leo Keller.

McKechnie Wants His Pitchers To Relax



By CHIP ROYAL
Associated Press Sports Writer

BLOOMINGTON, Ind. — The postman is ringing every hour at the Reds' Spring headquarters. It seems that every other mother's son, who isn't hurling bombs for Uncle Sam, wants to toss a horsehide for Cincinnati.

There is only one answer to the mail deluge. The boys know that this will be a pitcher's year, and that Manager Bill McKechnie is an ace when it comes to juggling flingers into championships.

This seems as good a time as any to find out how the Deacon does it. What are his secrets for a winning staff? But, first of all, who are the young hopefuls who will receive the master's attention this year?

Two Syracuse Stars

There are two very important (as far as the Reds are concerned) newcomers. The roster lists them as Tomas de la Cruz and Arnold Carter.

De la Cruz, a Cuban, was a 21-game winner last year for Syracuse. The dark right-hander had six shutouts, beat Newark twice in the playoffs, one a 3-hit shutout, and blanked Toronto in the Governor's Cup finals.

Carter, a southpaw, also with Syracuse, sewed up the Governor's Cup for the Chiefs by limiting the Leafs to six hits, and scored the winning run of the 2-0 score himself after beating out an infield hit. Lefty applied seven whitewashes for the season in chalking up 14 wins.

Now, how does McKechnie handle pitchers like de la Cruz, Carter and others?

"Well, I start working with my pitchers as soon as they report to see that they have the right mental attitude," says Bill.

"Relaxation is very important to a pitcher. I stress that at all times," continues McKechnie. "Then I teach them to throw hard, and get the ball over the plate. I try to make them coordinate their motion and get the whole body into the pitch.

"One of the first things I tell a young pitcher is to develop one delivery. That's all he needs. When they try to fool the batters with sidearm, overhand, and other pitches, they are only fooling themselves."

Bill always keeps an eye on his moundsmen whether it be in training or during the season. Whenever a little fault crops up, the Deacon takes the hurler aside and tries to correct the trouble.

"I don't believe in pitchers rotating during the season either," says Bill. "Some are better than others against a certain club. I pitch them when I think they can win. They don't need regular turns.

Weather A Factor

"Often, the weather has a lot to do with a pitcher. I talk to my men, find out how they feel, and remember what they have done before under similar conditions.

"When I see a pitcher is losing a game because the club is having a bad day in the field, I take him out. I can't take the infielders out, but I can save the pitcher.

"It's going to be tough on the pitchers this year though. They won't be taken out as often because when the draft boards get through shaping the pennant fight, we won't have too many left. It will be a battle of teams instead of squads, and the race will go to the strongest."

If Mr. McKechnie has his way, it will be the Reds.

THUMBNAIL PREVIEW

Pitching—Fair
Catching—Average
Infield—Good
Outfield—Fair
Hitting—Light
Finish—First Division

SNATCHES OF SPORTS

By HUGH FULLERTON JR.

NEW YORK, March 31—Major league managers have good reason to moan about their player losses this spring, but how would they like to lose Phil Ritzzutto, Benny McCoy, Vince Smith, Don Padgett, Dom DiMaggio, Tom Earley and Charley Wagner of one club between seasons?...that's what happened to Bos'n Gary Bodie, coach of the Norfolk naval training station baseballers...The Sailors will play more than 100 games against such clubs as the Norfolk Naval Air Station, Dick Porter's Curtis Bay, Md., Coast Guard outfit, which includes Sid Gordon and Mickey Witek; the Bainbridge, Md., sailors who recently acquired Dee Miles to back up an infield of Elbie Fletcher, Bud Blattner, Fred Chapman and Sherry Robertson; Luke Appling's Fort Lee, Va., soliders, and Ernie White's Fort Bragg, N. C., team.

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John Mooney, Salt Lake Telegram: "With Utah's Utes, St. John's Redmen and Dartmouth Indians dominating post-season basketball play, it looks as if someone already has given the country back to the Indians.

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Al Schacht, purveyor of comedy and steaks to baseball, will make his debut as a baseball broadcaster tomorrow. What better time could he pick than April fool's day?...Detroit has a hockey team composed of six totally blind players, who use a metal puck that jingles so they can follow it by ear...George (three Star) Hennessy, 35-year-old former Phillies pitcher, didn't catch on with the Yankees but before leaving camp he had the satisfaction of taking over the Yanks' two best two pool players, Atley Donald and Ed Levy.

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Hunk Anderson of the Chicago Bears (after hearing that George Marshall was interviewing college coaches for the Redskins job that finally went to Hud De Groot): "It makes our job just that much easier every time they get a college coach in the league."

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Lieut. (JG) Gilbert Robinson, who just returned from four months at sea in command of an armed guard gun crew, wasc a 16-letter man at Kansas Wesleyan college a decade ago, captained three sports teams and was an all-conference and all-state football choice for four years running... Bill Meany, former Yale swimmer and diver who turned to golf, is back where he started as a tankman. He's in the intelligence section of a tank squadron at Fort Knox, Ky.

Trautman Certain Weatherman Not A Baseball Fan

By The Associated Press

COLUMBUS, O., March 31—George M. Trautman, president of the American association, is convinced the weather man is not a baseball fan, but he has lost none of his optimism about the 1944 season.

"Things don't look any worse now than they did before we started," Trautman said. "Even the most pessimistic of our operators aren't any more pessimistic."

Trautman conceded, however, that bad weather was retarding the training of players, particularly those on clubs which do not have big fieldhouses available for indoor workouts. He expressed belief that association magnates need have no worries about attendance this year.

Early reports, he continued, indicate "the people want to go to baseball games and as far as the fans are concerned I don't believe we have anything to worry about."

Several clubs have been handicapped in their training by the failure of veterans to report. Trautman expressed belief this occurred because players didn't want to give up good paying off-season jobs until absolutely necessary. Baseball players' salaries don't start until the season opens.

UTES CARRY U. S. CAGE TITLE HOME

By The Associated Press

NEW YORK, March 31—Two weeks ago today Utah's basketball kids mournfully headed home from here, eliminated in the first round of the national invitation tourney.

Today they packed their bags for the same long trip, but this time as the toasts of the town and kings of the county's cagers.

Last night, before 18,125 fans who paid $35,000 which was turned over to the Red Cross; the Blitz Kids stormed to a 43-36 victory over St. John's of Brooklyn in Madison Square Garden.

St. John's won the invitation tourney in which the Utes stumbled over Kentucky in the opening game. Then Utah got a chance to get into the national collegiate meet when Arkansas dropped out, and battled its way to the title. Dartmouth's 17-game winning streak was halted by the team of destiny as it grabbed the crown.

The first half last night ended 19-19. Ten minutes after the second session got under way Utah was out in front by six, and then spurted to victory after St John's pulled up to 36-34.

ROLL OWN ASPIRIN

NEW ORLEANS—Albert Lauve, head of the pharmacy department at Charity hospital, said his assistants manufacture some 3,500,000 pills a year for hospital use. Lauve estimated that by producing the hospital's glucose alone, his department saves $180 a day. His idea of a restful, soothing sight after watching pills hop jerkily from a pill machine at the rate of 6,000 an hour, is a batch of golden-smooth cough syrup. "It's a hard job," he said. "Very exacting. But then, we make our own asprin."

ATHLETICS LEADING HITTER BRINGS OWN BAT TO PRACTICE

.259 with A's Estalella Rates .336 Average in Cuban League.

By The Associated Press

NEW YORK, March 31 — He brought along his own bat from home this year—did Roberto (Bobby) Estalella, Philadelphia Athletics outfielder who hit a rousing .259 last season.

And don't laugh at that .259, for it was tops for the team's regulars. And Roberto wants to remain tops—that's why he brought along the war club with which he bludgeoned his way this winter to a .336 average in the Cuban league.

A quick look at training camps:

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Washington—Cuban Luis Aurez looks like winner of third base sweepstakes.

Chicago—Hal Trosky, who quit two years ago because of headaches after averaging .313 and hitting 216 homers in nine years for Cleveland, makes debut under Jimmy Dykes Saturday as White Sox meet Pittsburgh at Louisville.

St. Louis—Luke Sewell finally has three outfielders — Frank Demaree, who has been ill; Harold Epps, 1-A but willing to play a while, and Milton Byrnes.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Pittsburgh—Frankie Frisch said only zero weather could keep Pirates from outdoor workout today. Said boys needed preparation for Saturday clash with White Sox.

Boston — Outfielder Tommy Holmes pounded out three line singles as regulars whipped Yanigans 9-1.

Brooklyn—Prexy Branch Rickey urges all major league clubs to pool excess talent to keep game going, should 4-F players be called into essential industry. Says he's willing to lease lend about 50 players to his opponents.

ARMY FIGHTERS WIN

FORT WAYNE, Ind., March 31—Dave Bruce, 145, of Baer Field, army air base near here, won a decision in a 10-round fight last night with Mutt Schwartz, 146, of Columbus, O. Gene Mickens, 200, also of Baer Field, knocked out Lava Lewis, 190, of Springfield, O., in the seventh heat of their eight-round preliminary.

Wet Grounds May Cease To Be Cause of Game Cancellations

By The Associated Press

ST. LOUIS, March 31—"Game postponed, wet grounds," may disappear from baseball language if a chemically-treated resin combination developed by a powder company performs as well on the baseball diamond as it has for the armed forces.

It makes soil waterproof. Roads treated with the substance remain dusty even though covered with several inches of water, and Theodore Marvin, of the Hercules Powder company, thinks it will do the same thing for basepaths, pitcher's mounds, and batters' boxes.

"Of course we can't tell for certain how the substance will work in ball parks because we've been busy developing it for the army, but we'll soon know," Marvin said in an interview.

"The Wilmington, Del., park of the inter-state league is being treated this week. Judging from the rain the Phillies encountered in spring training there, our product should get a rigid test."

This resin combination is a dry powder which is mixed with previously pulverized soil. The soil then is rolled, resulting in a waterproof surface retaining the same characteristics as the original soil.

"Until it rains, nobody can see the difference in the appearance of the soil that has been treated," Marvin said. "But after the rain groundskeepers will be able to sweep the basepaths dry."

Only parts of the infield are covered by grass can be treated, he pointed out. Soil stabilizer prevents any moisture from reaching roots.

EXPERTS PICK JACK TO BEAT ZURITA

By The Associated Press

NEW YORK, March 31—This little 10-round punching party in Madison Square Garden tonight, between Juan Zurita of Mexico and Beau Jack of Georgia, has the boys guessing, although the bounding ex-bootblack from the sunny southland is a 1-3 favorite.

The experts, in picking Beau, sum up their reasons with:

"We've seen the Beau go, and when he goes, he goes. We haven't seen Zurita, except in the training ring, so we'll have to pick Jack."

Zurita, until he batted out a 15-round decision on the coast March 8 to take the NBA version of the lightweight crown from Sammy Angott, was just another better than average club fighter. He makes his first eastern start tonight.

Beau Jack is making his third main-go appearance of the month in the Garden.

After yesterday's final workouts Beau Jack, who twice had held the New York version of the lightweight laurels, weighed 136¼, while his Mexican rival weighed 133.

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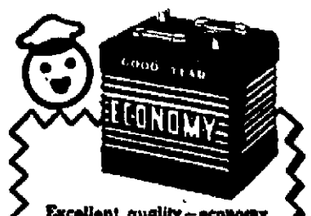

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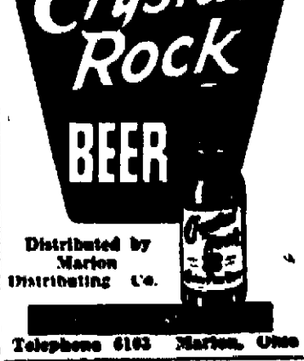

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OSGOOD LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
	59	25	.678
	51	33	.586
	50	37	.575
	47	40	.540
...ine Tool	46	41	.529
No. 2	45	41	.526
	44	43	.506
No. 1	41	46	.471
	37	50	.425
	35	52	.402
	34	53	.391
	32	55	.368

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...—Noe 402, Pace 395, ...Cox 399, Roush 384, total 2212.

No. 1—VanKeuren 439, McLean 437, Williams 458; total 2250.

...2—Barrett 530, Coutz 507, Hutchinson 550, Hdcp. 69; total 2268.

No. 2—Yazel 419, Hathaway 389, Penry 457; total 2279.

...ia—Robinson 406, Rich... 444, Fryman 402, Lowery ...Zuber 464, Hdcp. 126; total ...

...—Augenstein 550, Geissler ...Warren 475, Miller 518, McRill ...; total 2463.

...Rodgers 495, Cockeral ...Devine 549, Bailey 451, Lewis ...; total 2316.

...mmercial No. 1—Harruff 490, ...ch 473, Scott 501, Holtz 451, Big... 377, Hdcp. 27; total 2261.

...Alley No. 1—Schrader 474, Bibbee ...Bowman 497, Baker 498, Faus... 415, Hdcp. 75; total 2131.

...Master Machine Tool—Matthews ...Matthews 444, Richards 527, ...Tanner 450; total 2039.

...Office No. 2—Myers 528, Hoch... 472, Hochstetter 307, Bow... 474, Weis 460; total 2221.

...General Excavator—Rinnert 449, ...Guire 429, Knickle 429, Clark 463, ...Hdcp. 147; total 2297.

LADIES ALL-STAR LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
...kert & Lewis	57	27	.679
...d Robin Shop	56	28	.651
...rell's Jewelry	52	32	.619
...rchants Transfer	45	35	.536
...ch Jewelry	42	42	.500
...ans Insurance	32	52	.381
...mmie Bells Market	27	57	.321
...rick's Shop	25	59	.297

LADIES ALL-STAR LEAGUE

Red Robin Shop—Long 437, Hil... 464, Hickman 465, Schmidt ...Blind 390; total 2087.

Herrick Shop — Gunder 473, Buckingham 563, Hinze 333, Way ...Blind 60, Blind 300; total 1829.

...Harrell's Jewelry — Hinze 484, ...kham 558, Oberlander 544, Wil... 479, Woessner 441; total 2046.

...rick's Jewelry—Dixon 405, Bry... 366, Humm 379, Anthony 422, ...Chapman 382, Hdcp. 6; total 1971.

...Jimmy Bells Market—Neee 449, ...man 466, Baldauf 419, Neee 347, ...; total 2131.

Bozzell Wins From Knox in Armory Show

Paul Bozzell won a two-hour main event last night in wrestling matches at the Armory. Bozzell took two falls from Knox. Knox won his single fall in 11 minutes with a step over toe hold. Bozzell won the second fall with a crab hold in four minutes. Another crab hold won him the match in six minutes.

In a one-hour semi-final bout Gil LaCross won from Jackie Nichols with two falls. Nichols missed a try with a drop kick. Then LaCross took Nichols down in 12 minutes with a body press. He won his second fall in eight minutes with a body slam and body press.

Steve Nenoff won a 30-minute one-fall match from Angelo Martinelli in 15 minutes with a body slam and body press.

SALVATION ARMY FORMS WARTIME PROJECT GROUP

Women To Meet Weekly, Work on Books and Games.

Approximately 25 Marion women met with women officers of the Salvation Army Thursday at the citadel on North Prospect street to organize a group to carry out a wartime entertainment project for men and women of the armed forces in hospitals, service clubs and centers.

At meetings to be held each Thursday evening from 8 to 9 o'clock the women will assemble cross word puzzles, compile serial stories, fashion "Chuckle Books" from numerous cartoons and sayings, to be distributed through the Salvation Army, to men and women in the hospitals and centers.

"It will require lots of material, a great deal of time and many cheerful helpers to carry out the project," Captain Mary Nisiewicz, officer in charge of the Marion Corps, said today, in discussing the plan. "We are especially inviting the young women, both married and single, whose husbands, brothers and friends are serving with the armed forces," she stated.

Miss Gertrude Click was named leader for the group. Meeting with the women were Mrs. Major Ruth Zealley, who with her husband, Major Harold Zealley is in command of the southwest Ohio and northeast Kentucky division of the Salvation Army, Mrs. Major Alice Gibson, divisional life saving organizer for girls and Mrs. Major Robina McCormick, of Cincinnati, and Mrs. Brigadier Albert Pickering of Columbus.

Indians Pitching Staff Gets Another Recruit

By The Associated Press

LAFAYETTE, Ind., March 31—The Cleveland Indians had an unexpected addition to their pitching department today with word that Charles (Red) Embree was en route to camp from his California home.

Embree hurled for the Indians in 1942 after striking out 211 batters for an Eastern league record while with Wilkes-Barre the previous season. He showed much promise but remained out of baseball last year. He was rejected last week by his draft board.

Jim Devlin, 21-year-old catching recruit from the Wilkes-Barre farm reported yesterday after ending his salary dispute with the front office.

WEATHER BLOCKS REDS

BLOOMINGTON, Ind., March 31—Weather and so forth permitting, the Cincinnati Reds amuse themselves with intra-squad games today and tomorrow and whip up some competitive spirit for the five-game series with the Cleveland Indians starting Sunday in Indianapolis. Manager Will McKechnie is giving young pitchers a deal of attention, especially Tomas De La Cruz and Arnold Carter, who probably will pitch the first game against the Indians.

Merchants Transfer—Maskill 442, VonKsenel 416, Kraner 390, Barper 453, Keller 495, Hdcp. 91; total 2103.

Orians Insurance—DicKerson 373, Ault 422, Hammond 344, Tarr 395, Velly 409, Hdcp. 82; total 1967.

Markert & Lewis—Snyder 448, Peacock 377, Dalton 434, Seebach 493, Clapsaddle 771; total 2024.

UNIVERSAL COOLER LEAGUE

Team No. 5—Moore 385, Anderson 252, Miers 270, Deisle 311, Roux 418, Hdcp. 69; total 1695.

No. 1—Swisher 419, Flach 368, Sturgeon 493, Baisley 363, Rothrock 335; total 1896.

No. 2—Rinehart 335, Daniels 259, Thoms 229, Copeland 346, Blind 317; total 1604.

No. 4—Marshall 370, Benson 281, Andrews 295, Washburn 329, Ferguson 382, Hdcp. 66; total 1643.

No. 6—Wilson 413, Greene 309, Roberts 350, Sipe 411, Blind 219, Hdcp. 98; total 1826.

No. 3—Cox 342, Biddle 367, Hannegan 316, Johnson 312, Bentley 509; total 1896.

BIRTHDAY TRIBUTE GIVEN EVANGELIST

Choir Makes Floral Presentation To Gipsy Smith.

As a tribute to Gipsy Smith, the evangelist conducting the Gipsy Smith union evangelistic mission in Epworth Methodist church, the union choir presented to him at the service Thursday night and to Mrs. Smith a bouquet of flowers in honor of his eighty-fourth birthday anniversary today. Prof. J. W. Yoder of Huntingdon, Pa., song leader for the mission, made the presentation and the choir sang.

"Three and a Half Years in the Mud and Blood of France" was the evangelist's subject Thursday night and he told of his experiences as a Y. M. C. A. worker among English soldiers in World war I. Rev. E. M. Hertzler made announcements, prayer was led by Rev. T. A. Ballinger of the Green Camp Methodist church. An offertory number was sung by the choir and Mrs. Smith, wife of the evangelist, presented a solo. Mrs. J. W. Baker accompanied singing. Veterans of the war in the audience were asked to stand and were honored with a round of applause.

From his experiences with thousands of soldiers gathered in the Y. M. C. A. huts of France or on the battlefields and in "no man's land" the evangelist said he discovered "men will believe in a religion of service when they do not believe in a religion of words." Wherever he went, he declared, counseling the men, comforting the homesick, talking to them of Christ and Christian courage, leading them in singing, helping them to write home, aiding in relief of suffering, doing many and varied tasks for them, he found among them no room for skepticism, infidelity, cynicism or unkindness. "The gospel works when you're close to the gates of death," he told his audience.

"Boys everywhere prayed," he emphasized. "They realized their need for a religious experience that excluded sin and selfishness. They knew how to live and how to die. Sin is the fear of death. When sin is out the sting of death is gone. Those men knew confidence in Christ at the worst moment of their lives. As they said 'Goodbye' to me, going out to face the blood and slaughter of 'no man's land,' they sang gloriously the hymn 'Forever With the Lord'." He ended with the plea to the audience, "Will you stand, as did those boys, and pledge your lives for Christ?"

The evangelist will give the story of his life, "From Gipsy Tent to Pulpit," at the service tonight. It was announced a special "birthday offering" will be taken for him at tonight's meeting.

BROODER HOUSE DAMAGED

A brooder house sheltering about 200 baby chicks caught fire Thursday afternoon at the home of Donald Mayse of 487 Decatur street. The blaze, caused by an overheated stove, spread to the floor of the building. All of the chicks were saved and loss was estimated at about $10. Firemen from the East Mark street station and the quad unit from Central answered the alarm at 3:24 p. m.

SYMPATHY STRIKERS MEETING IN LORAIN

By The Associated Press

LORAIN, O., March 31—Representatives of 11 AFL craft unions whose members left their jobs in sympathy with a walkout of the electricians union met today to decide whether to continue their work stoppage at the Lorain yards of the American Ship Building Co.

The walkout of all but 100 of the yard's 4,000 employes caused postponement of the scheduled launching tomorrow of the U. S. S. Milledgeville, a frigate designed for escort and patrol work.

Morton D. Barrisch, assistant disputes director of the regional war labor board, reported the WLB had received jurisdiction in the case but would await developments at the union meeting before taking any action.

Federal Labor Conciliator Thomas W. Robertson said the men apparently left their jobs in protest against the discharge of several members of the electrician's union which is demanding an 11-cent hourly wage premium for men assigned to test electrical equipment of new vessels.

KILLED BY AUTO

NEWARK, O., March 31—John Wagner, 82, of nearby Frazeysburg, died last night after he was struck by an automobile near his home, State Highway Patrolman F. J. Belner reported.

Transport and ferry systems of the Air Transport Command of the Army Air Forces now extend over about 110,000 miles of routes.

BATHING BEAUTY. Worry about getting travel accommodations back home at the end her sojourn in Florida is far from the mind of little Catherine Callahan of Stratford, Conn. Sunning herself in Palm Beach, she pushes the distasteful thought far from her and presents a pretty picture of contentment.

SOLDIERS' MORALE HIGH, VORYS FINDS

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON, March 31—Rep. John M. Vorys (R) of Columbus, O., back from a three-week tour of the European war fronts, says the average American soldier's morale is high and he wants to get the war over as soon as possible and come back to the "kind of country he fought for."

The Ohio congressman yesterday told newsmen American soldiers are "not much interested in politics. They are expecting to do the fighting and are counting on the rest of us to get them back after the war to the kind of country they fought for and make plans so that it will not happen again."

He said there was much misunderstanding of conditions back home, asserting it "was news to many I talked with in Britain and in North Africa that we were rationed on meat, sugar, shoes, gasoline, etc."

The Ohioan added that if the United Nations "can agree on the conditions we will impose upon unconditional surrender of the Nazis we will shorten the war."

Vorys declared congress should take part in determining foreign policy.

Vorys, a member of the house foreign affairs committee, maintained silence on the purposes of his trip made with Rep. Joseph C. Baldwin (R-NY).

Of post-war planning, he said: "If we are to get along in the future we have got to cooperate with the British and also look out for ourselves."

G. O. P. Committee Votes Confidence in Schorr

By The Associated Press

COLUMBUS, O., March 31—The Republican state central and executive committee yesterday unanimously gave state Chairman Ed D. Schorr a vote of confidence after hearing Attorney General Thomas J. Herbert's recent criticism of Schorr described as "unfair and unwarranted."

The attorney general had asserted Schorr was using his position as party chairman to foster the gubernatorial candidacy of Mayor James Garfield Stewart of Cincinnati. Herbert also demanded that the chairman resign until after the primary campaign.

Herbert also is seeking the Republican nomination for governor.

In presenting a resolution asking the vote of confidence, the committee's retiring Secretary Nolan Boggs of Toledo, said the attorney general's charges were "unfair and unwarranted."

Kiwanis Club Members See Hospital Addition

Members of Kiwanis club were taken on a tour of the new wing at City hospital yesterday noon during time normally devoted to a program. The tour was arranged by Louis E. Michel, program chairman, in cooperation with the hospital board.

Mrs. Margaret Bradbury, hospital superintendent, and nurses conducted the tour and explained uses of rooms and equipment in the new addition. The trip followed luncheon at Hotel Harding. Members were transported to the hospital in one of the large buses operated by the Marion Rapid Transit Co.

Russell C. Snare, Harry L. Dowler and A. W. Kettle, members of the hospital planning board are Kiwanis members. Three other men included the group were guests at yesterday's meeting. They are Walter A. Dorsey, Dr. E. L. Brady and C. C. Brown. Other guests were T. A. Marshall of Cleveland, John Hare of Ada, O., and Fred C. Cory of Marion.

Union Council To Elect Chairman April 5

At a meeting of United Steelworkers Local No. 1049 of the Marion Steam Shovel Co. last Sunday announcement was made that notice will be posted in the shop regarding election of delegates to the constitutional convention of the union May 9-14 in Cleveland. The local industrial council will elect a new chairman April 5 with the required presence of all delegates of Local 1049. The speaker was William Belt of Mansfield, national officials, who gave an account of the progress of union affairs. Installation was held for Paul Keller who was elected treasurer and for Percy Breece, trustee. The lodge stood at attention for one minute in honor of two members who died in service recently, Sgt. Donald Buckley and Sgt. Lee Welsh. Members voted to purchase three $100 war bonds.

Installation To Be Held by Elks Lodge

Two new members were elected at a meeting last night of Marion Lodge No. 32 of the Elks.

Installation of officers will be held next week at which time the chairs will be occupied by the following past exalted rulers: John Peacock, grand exalted ruler; A. H. Thomasson, grand leading knight; W. T. Buchanan, grand loyal knight; Gene Gunder, grand lecturing knight; V. M. Dutton, grand esquire; K. W. Konkle, grand chaplain; and E. H. Huggins, inner guard. Following the lodge meeting, lunch was served.

BLOCKBUSTER EGG

By The Associated Press

PITTSBURGH—One of Vincent Valent's hens laid a nine-ounce egg, more than three times the average weight.

Landon Asks End Of Roosevelt Dynasty

By The Associated Press

TOPEKA, Kan., March 31—Alf M. Landon pleaded today for a Republican presidential nominee able to work with congress and replace President Roosevelt who, he said, was determined "to establish himself in the White House for life."

Landon, former Kansas governor and the party's 1936 nominee, said the Republican presidential choice this year must "be able to inspire trust at home and abroad in his ability to do teamwork with the congress" and "command overwhelming confidence in his determination and ability to end promptly the confusion of red-tape bureau-made laws, bureaucratic control of business, farming and labor, that are interfering with our war efforts."

In an address prepared for a Republican state convention, Landon said the party's 1944 platform must be "definite, unequivocal, courageous and forward-looking."

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THE BATTLE OF THE WESTERN STARS

GENE AUTRY VS. ROY ROGERS

WHICH IS TOPS?

SEE THESE TWO GREAT STARS IN ACTION!

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Marion

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2 — BIG HITS — 2

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2—LODGE NOTICES

Moose Members

Attention—better come earlier Saturday Nite—Dancing—Music.

SERVING in the A.E.F.? Write V.F.W. Post 3212, Marion, O. for information about the V.F.W.

Marion Lodge No. 70 F. and A. M. Special communication Friday, March 31, 7 p. m. Master Mason's Degree.

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FOUR GRAVE lot at Forest Glen, cost $85. Will sell for $10. Dial 5678.

SAVE LIVES! save and turn in all kitchen fats. MARION WINDOW CLEANERS

4—PLACES TO GO

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Anywhere in Marion on a Ticket.
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2121 — Dial — 6161

6—LOST AND FOUND

A REWARD of $25 is offered for information leading to the return of a 17-jewel Hamilton open-face pocket watch, lost March 25th by Ray Lill, Rt. 1, Morral, O. This watch was lost in the vicinity of Old Fort Mills. It can be identified through the serial number which is on file by a Marion jeweler.

LOST—Seven gasoline "C" ration stamps. Don Ross, Route 6, Marion, Ohio.

LOST—White shoat, weight about 125 lbs. Reward. Dial 82712.

LOST—Gasoline Ration Book "A". Mrs. Alice Rogers, 783 E. Center St. Dial 5025.

LOST or strayed near Caledonia, large red hound. Phone 2708 Caledonia. Reward.

Put Your Tag on Your Dog
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BOY'S bicycle, grey trimmed with blue, taken by mistake from front of Y.M.C.A. Tuesday night. If found Dial 3197.

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Marion, Ohio

MAN Wanted to work on poultry farm and hatchery. Edwin Carey, Marion, Ohio. Call Green Camp, 143-1633.

MAN for office work in retail sales department of local manufacturing plant. Experience helpful but not necessary. Write giving details, education, experience, age and draft status. Box 62, in care of Star.

9—FEMALE

WANTED—Experienced secretary-saleslady, must be able to type. High wages. Box 63, care Star.

ELDERLY lady to take charge of two children while mother works. Little housework. Dial 3758 until 4 after 5, call 1661.

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DISHWASHER
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WANTED: Women for general housework, six days a week, seven hours a day. 29c Kenmore.

Girls 16 to 40 years old
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WOMAN to work in milk house six days a week, 5:30 a. m. to 11 a. m. Lawrence Markets.

Experienced Waitress
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Good Hours
Excellent Pay
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WAITRESSES
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must be over 21
Stone's Grill
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Wanted work cleaning by the day or week. Dial 7995.

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New Classes now Forming
Short training period, supervised by men, released to us by major air lines and directed by an Air Line Advisory Board.
If necessary, training need not interfere with present employment.
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RADIO AND INSTRUMENTS
Electric Clocks Repaired
D. A. BROWN RADIO SERVICE

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RUG CLEANING
Upholstered Furniture Cleaned
Holliday Rug Co. — Dial 4136.
On account of help shortage will you please have your rugs rolled ready for the truck.

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Appliance servicing. Washing machines, small motors, gas or electric. If it is broken or burned out bring it down to Warner's Fix It Shop, rear of 212 Sharp St. Dial 15771.

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Make Your Easter Appointment
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Electric motor, ½ h. p., $12.
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FOR SALE—Red-E garden tractor with plow and 5-tooth adjustable cultivators. Chas. Edgar Nichols, Phone 91W0, Delaware, O., Rt. 2.

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250-LB Vitalaire for sale. A-1 condition. Call at Selter's Grocery, 360 Bellefontaine Ave. Dial 2793.

WE rent electric sewing machines for home use.
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151 N. Main, Marion, O. Dial 2755.

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VICTORY GARDEN SEEDS
Choice tested bulk seeds that will grow. R. L. Luke Hardware.

ELECTRIC motors, structural steel, plate, etc. We buy scrap iron and metals.
MARION IRON AND METAL CO.
Rear 450 W. Center St. Dial 3158.

27—HOUSEHOLD GOODS

WIRELESS record player with record changer for sale. Dial 5267 between 5 and 6 p. m.

FOR sale, small table model radio.
Phone 123, Prospect, O.

TABLE model battery radio with batteries, $20.
Dial 82152.

SEWING machine, antique upholstered straight chair.
1223 E. Church—Dial 3302

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WALDO, O.

GOOD 75-lb. oak ice box. Two ladies' spring suits, size 20, one short fur jacket. Dial 6735.

ONE cherry stand, one quilt, rising sun pattern. Like new. Living room suite, newly upholstered.
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FOR SALE—Rollaway bed, beautiful wing vanity. Inquire—
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TWO-PIECE living room suite, good condition. Cheap. Call after 5 p. m. 556 Toledo Ave.

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HEPPLEWHITE dark mahogany serving cabinet, five-piece maple dinette set, Welsh cupboard.
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TWO large truck loads of new and used furniture just arrived. Three new rebuilt living room suites with springs. Tilt-back chairs and ottomans. Chest of drawers, maple and walnut bedroom suites, extra beds complete. 9x12 rugs and kitchen sets. From 2 to 9 p. m. 770 Davids.

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READ your Bible. It's the most educational book in the world. Wm. Dowler, piano tuner, S. Vine.

Cash for Used Pianos.
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WANTED — Studio or apartment size pianos. Highest cash price paid. Jess Fowler, W. Church St.

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Don't Forget
Lower's Preparation
Cough Syrup
LOWER'S PHARMACY
124 W. Center. Dial 4166.

32—FOOD

No. 1 Table Potatoes, 50 lbs. $1.35
Best Cobbler Seed, B's, cwt. $1.95
Onion Sets, 10c Flies. Dial 2059.
POTATOES—Morrow county Russets, good quality, nice size. Sager—686 Frey Ave.

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Will sell four consignments furniture, and stock merchandise from store at
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LOVE'S FAIR HORIZON

By ADELE GARRISON

IT SEEMED an eternity, although it was but a few seconds, before the two men in military uniforms came up to us and gave Shumway a signal to draw his car to the side of the road and stop. He promptly complied, and the men, who I saw belonged to the Coast Guard, of whom we have many on the eastern section of Long Island, came up to the side of the car and addressed Shumway directly.

"What's your name and business?"

Replies

"Peter Shumway," the taxi man replied, "and I drive a taxi. My headquarters are Sag Harbor."

"Let's see your driving license and license for your car, also any other identification."

Shumway produced the documents. The Coast Guard man looked them over, and returned them without any comment.

"They're all in order, ain't they?" Shumway ventured.

"If they weren't you'd have heard from us," the guardsman said, without looking at him. Then he opened the door of the compartment where I sat.

"I'm afraid I'll have to ask you to get out for a minute, madam," he said courteously. "We won't keep you long."

He held out his hand to help me down. As soon as I was out of the car, he and his friend rubbed their hands over the cushions, and over the floor.

"Seems okay," the second man said, and the first man nodded, and held out his hand to me.

"You may get back in now, Madam," he said. "We'll want to ask you some questions a little later." He helped me back into the car and then spoke again to Shumway.

Trunk

"Your trunk locked?"

"No. D'ye want me to open it?"

"No. Stay where you are."

They rummaged in the trunk while an insistent question caromed around in my brain. Why were the cushions of the car dry while the rug had been wet? If the clothing of Hugh and Lee Chow had been wet enough to drip upon the floor, the cushions would certainly have been soaked.

But I had to put the question aside for a while for the men were returning, and the first was opening the door.

"May we ask your name, please?"

"Mrs. Richard Graham. I live on a farm about a mile from here, half a mile back to the corner, half a mile down the dirt road."

"Thank you - Have you any identification about you?"

I opened my wallet and gave them my driving license, my calling card, my food ration books, and an envelope enclosing a letter I recently had received from Lillian. He inspected them all meticulously, then handed them back.

Question

"Where are you going?" he asked next.

"To Easthampton, to the library, and to do some shopping which I can do only there."

"I see," he said. "Now, one last question. Have you seen any men in clothing dripping wet, anywhere along the road today?"

I appeased the remnants of my Puritan conscience with the thought that at least I could answer this question truthfully. Hugh and Lee Chow had not been on the road when I welcomed them.

"Clothing dripping wet?" I repeated as if puzzled at the question. "No, I haven't. In fact I haven't seen anybody along the road since I started out."

"That's all," the guard said, closing the door. "How about you, Shumway? Have you seen any dripping wet men along your route today?"

"Not a sing of one," Shumway said. "But, say, what's this all about, anyway?"

"That doesn't concern you," the guardsman said bluntly as he scribbled something on a card which he thrust into Shumway's hands.

"Show that to anybody else who stops you," he said. "Now get going."

He and his companion started out again in the direction of Sag Harbor, and Shumway started the car. But before he drove away, he heaved a relieved sigh.

"Gee, that was close! And you did mighty good, for a woman."

"Thank you," I said ironically. "But, tell me, why weren't those cushions wet?"

"I thought you'd be asking that" he chuckled. "I used to haul a lot of people to the beaches, and they'd be coming back in wet bathing suits. So I always had big rubber blankets to tuck over my seats. Luckily they was in the trunk when I picked your friends up, so I used them to cover the seats I didn't think the floor rug was very wet, so I left it on when I left the rubber blankets at home. But something told me I'd better change it, and I sure got under the wire just in time."

He began to drive faster, and my heart beats increased with his pace. Something menacing to Hugh and Lee Chow was afoot, I was sure of it, and the worst of it was that I was completely bewildered by the whole thing. And then, as we swung to the left into the Montauk road, I couldn't keep back an alarmed exclamation.

"Why, there are Coast Guard men strung out all along the road!" I said.

YOUR HEALTH

By LOGAN CLENDENING, M. D.

Tonsils

WE have been having a succession of parents come to our hospital, who want their child's tonsils and adenoids removed, so the child can have its nine-point health button at school. When they are told the child doesn't need its tonsils out they seem disappointed and frustrated and think something is wrong.

To begin with, the nine-point health program doesn't say a child is not healthy unless the tonsils are out. It says that the child should have a healthy throat. This means no abnormal redness, no pus can be expressed from the tonsils and no kernels (lymphnodes) can be felt under the skin around the jaw or down the neck.

But somehow from these examinations the tonsils get involved and doctors are constantly being asked to make an examination and give certificates that the child's throat needs no surgery and that it deserves a nine-point button.

I can remember not so long ago when throat specialists pretty generally thought every child's tonsils should come out just on general principles. That idea has, I think, happily been abandoned.

Nobody knows exactly what the functions of the tonsils and adenoids are. They are lymphatic structures, part of the lymphatic system all over the body, and one of the functions of the lymphatics is to fight infection. The tonsils are very large in a baby and this suggests that they protect the baby's sensitive bronchial tubes from infection by engulfing and destroying the germs that get in with the inspired air and with the food. This is, of course, dangerous sentry duty and the tonsils may engulf some germs they cannot kill and hence become the focal points for infection. And they are very subject to acute infection in the form of acute tonsillitis.

There is unversal agreement that the tonsils can be removed without any permanent damage to the body economy.

But are those considerations enough to warrant routine removal of the tonsils in every school child? I do not know any children's specialist or throat specialist who would vote in the affirmative on that.

There are three possible indications for taking out the tonsils in children or adults:

One is recurrent attacks of acute tonsillitis.

Second is recurrent attacks of running ear or continuous running ears. This may be due to an infected tonsil or adenoid hanging over the end of the Eustachian tube.

Third is focal infection. Here the question comes up—do the tonsils actually harbor a focal infection? The big tonsils of a baby are very tempting to the inexperienced surgeon, but in a baby big tonsils alone do not mean infection. Later, say at the age of fifteen or twenty, if one can see the tonsils without instrumental aid when the patient's mouth is open it is presumptive evidence of infection, but the safest standard is to require that pus can be expressed from the tonsil before the diagnosis of focal infection is decided.

It used to be said that removal of tonsils was justified because it prevented rheumatic fever, but I notice in a recent medical symposium that children who have been followed up after tonsillectomy are found to have rheumatic fever just as often as those who still have their tonsils.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

G. B. T.: My son has had chickenpox and now has five marks which look very bad on his forehead. Is there anything I can do to make them disappear?

Answer: They may take as long as a year to go away, but they do. I know of nothing which will hasten the process.

D. M. B.: My daughter is left-handed. Do you think she could take piano lessons without harmful effect? (In piano playing most of the movements are done with the right hand).

Answer: I do not recommend training naturally left-handed children to become righthanded, because it may result in stuttering, but I do not believe piano playing would come in that category. Realizing that most of the movements are made with the right hand, still it is a bi-manual exercise.

G. D.: Will you please tell me if there is any danger of penetrating the ear drum by cleaning out the ear with a match?

Answer: Certainly. If you don't want to lose your hearing have a doctor clean out your ears.

A. S. K.: What characteristics in the appearnce of the stool would denote cancer in the intestinal tract? Would a complete laboratory and gastro-intestinal X-ray disclose such trouble? Would a competent physician readily recognize the trouble?

Answer: Stool is tarry, bloody, ribbon-like. Complete G. I. series should recognize cancer in the bowel. All competent physicians are fallible, but one should recognize this condition.

The Stars Say—

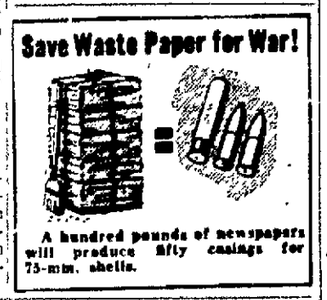
For Saturday, April 1

THE LUNAR transits for this day accent personal, domestic and sentimental affairs, which will claim major attention. Although there is fair fortune in connection with business credit, and finance generally despite trivial anxieties. Take particular pains to sidestep misconstruction, treachery or fraud with correspondence, legal writings, and speech. Travel with caution, refrain from nervous strain.

Those whose birthday it is may look for a fairly happy and progressive year, with good luck, expanding finances and general stabilization of affairs, although there may be certain petty cares and anxieties. These may be due to carelessness with papers, writings or speech, subject to misconstruction, distortion or fraud. Suppress nervous strain and find enjoyment in domestic, social or sentimental relations.

A child born on this day, although nervous and emotionally high-strung, may enjoy a fairly lucky and pleasant career.

Portable pipe-lines, in light 20-foot sections, were used to transport fuel and water quickly in the United Nations' North African campaign.



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SCRAPS
WILL GOLD FISH SPAWN WHEN KEPT IN A BOWL?
NO

Just Kids
I'LL ANSWER IT-JOHN
RING!
HA! HA! REALLY? I'LL HAVE TO EXPLAIN IT TO YOU-I'LL BE RIGHT OVER
NOW WHAT?
MARJORY HAS A COOK BOOK-AND FOR A CAKE IT SAYS TO SEPARATE FOUR EGGS-SHE PUT TWO ON ONE PLATE -TWO ON ANOTHER-AND PUT THEM IN DIFFERENT ROOMS-SHE HAS WAITED HALF AN HOUR AND SHE SAYS NOTHING HAS HAPPENED
HA! HA!
JOHN-PLEASE ANSWER THAT-I'LL CHANGE MY DRESS AND RUSH OVER TO HELP THE KIDS
RING!
OKEE-DOKEE

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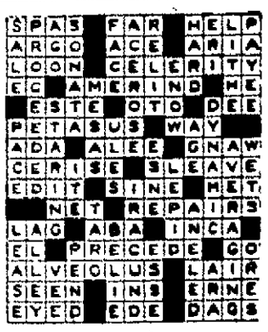
Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

1. Tumult
7. Style of numeral
13. Imitation gold
14. Ridicule
15. Palm lily
16. Deep hole
17. Salutation
18. Type measure
19. Kind of sandwich
21. Distinctive mark
23. Gadget
24. Like
26. Insect
28. Existing in name only
31. Sweet substance
34. Article
35. Stoneworker
37. Presented
38. Mire
40. Intolerant person
42. Cluster of wool fibers
43. Flower
45. Greek island
47. Symbol for sodium
48. Part
50. Channel where the tide sets
52. Ascended
54. You and I
55. Winnow
57. King of the golden touch
59. Gentle blow
62. To a higher point
63. Heated
64. Make into leather
66. Jumbled type
67. Bristly
69. Plant growing on the sea bottom
71. Wears away
72. Dethrone

DOWN

1. Two together
2. Silkworm
3. Perform
4. Edge
5. Star in The Dragon
6. Transition
7. Proverb
8. Faces with stone
9. Exist
10. Two: prefix
11. Notion
12. Coin
20. Entangle
22. Detracted
25. Started
26. Total
27. Haul
29. Woolen cloth
29. Harden
30. Workshop: collog.
32. Genus of the cat
33. Do something in return
36. Named for office
39. Sofa
41. Bushy clump
44. East Indian weight
46. Stitch
49. Full of fissures
51. Marry
53. Locations
55. Melt
56. Imitator
58. Rational
60. Genus of the honey bee
61. Wait for
65. Scuttle
65. Woolly surface of cloth
68. Toward
70. Behold



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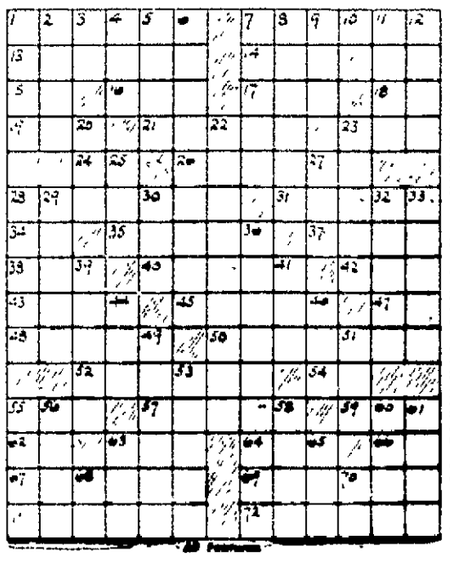
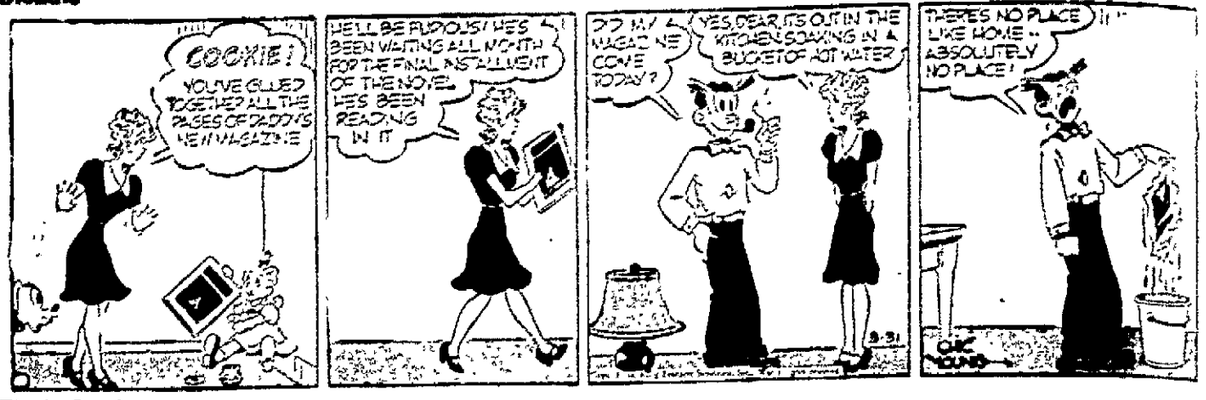


Blondie By Chic Young


COOKIE! YOU'VE GLUED TOGETHER ALL THE PAGES OF DADDY'S NEW MAGAZINE
HE'LL BE FURIOUS! HES BEEN WAITING ALL MONTH FOR THE FINAL INSTALLMENT OF THE NOVEL HES BEEN READING IN IT
DO MY NIAGARA NE COME TODAY?
YES, DEAR, IT'S OUT IN THE KITCHEN SOAKING IN A BUCKET OF HOT WATER
THERE'S NO PLACE LIKE HOME - ABSOLUTELY NO PLACE!
CHIC YOUNG

Flash Gordon

A HORRIBLE FATE LOOMS OVER FLASH AND DALE, AS THE SPIDERON PRESSES ITS ATTACK, DESPITE THE RAY-BARRAGE.
DUCK, DALE, I'M GOING TO TRY A FLAME-BLAST!
OH, O, O
FLASH'S GUN SPITS A TORRENT OF BLAZING ATOMS. THE MONSTER HALTS... THEN SUDDENLY A FIERY EXPLOSION ENGULFS THE SPIDERON AND ITS WEB!

Terry and the Pirates By Milton Caniff

HERE COMES THE PATROL AIRPLANE... I'LL TELL HIM I'M WELL TAKEN CARE OF HERE, MR. SINGH!
THE YANKEE AVIATOR SENT A WIRELESS TO THE PETROL PLANE! DID YOU MONITOR IT?
I DID, MADAME SINGH!...HE MERELY REPORTED THAT HE IS WELL AND HOPES TO HAVE HIS ENGINE FIXED SOON...NOT EVEN ANY OBVIOUS CODE...
MAMA, D'YENKY MAKES WITH D' WIRELESS TO D' PATROL....MEBBE SINK-SINK BOMP HIM OFF—YOP?
DO YOU WANT ALLIED TROOPS ON OUR HEADS? WE WILL CONTINUE AS IF WE SUSPECT NOTHING!
MEBBE YOU SORTA LIKE D' KID! COULD DIS BE?
HAH! YOUR PRESUMPTION OF COY JEALOUSY IS AMUSING, BUT ABSURD! THE ONLY AFFECTION I HAVE IS FOR THE GOLD IN MY VAULT...EXCEPTING OF COURSE, MY BREATHLESS LOVE FOR YOU, MY LORD AND MASTER!

Thimble Theater

PULL IN AT STUMMICK, YA LUMMIX
WIPE ORF AT SMILE
WHA'S YER NAME?
HOW YA LIKE AT, CHIEF?
YOU AIN'T TOUGH ENOUGH
WHATCHA MEAN, I AIN'T TOUGH??
WELL, YOU JUST AIN'T
I SEZ I YAM!!!
NOW, THAT'S BETTER
YES, THAT'S MORE LIKE A CHIEF BOSUN'S MATE
TOM SIMS &
BARCLAY

Tillie the Toiler By Rus Westover

I MUSTN'T LET THE C.O. KNOW A MAN'S MY REASON FOR GOING OVERSEAS. I'LL TALK PATRIOTIC.
PRIVATE JONES HAS PERMISSION TO SPEAK TO THE COMMANDING OFFICER
WHAT IS IT?
I WANT TO BE TRANSFERRED TO OVERSEAS DUTY, MA'AM
I SEE...IS IT-
TO BE NEAR A SOLDIER OVER THERE OR TO BE AWAY FROM ONE HERE?
R. Rivera

Toots and Casper By Jimmy Murphy

SOPHIE AND I GOT OUR WEDDING LICENSE TODAY, CASPER, AND I WANT YOU TO BE BEST MAN!
YOU WANT ME THERE TO GIVE A TOUCH OF CLASS TO THE AFFAIR, EH COLONEL HOOFER?
WHY DON'T YOU AND TOOTS GET REMARRIED, TOO, AS SOPHIE SUGGESTED—A DOUBLE WEDDING WOULD BE SWELL—THEN YOU AND TOOTS WOULD BE NEWLYWEDS AGAIN, TOO.
TOOTS AND I DON'T HAVE TO SET THE CLOCK BACK! WE'RE YOUTHFUL ENOUGH AS IS—TOOTS LOOKS LIKE A LITTLE SCHOOL CHILD—AND IF I WERE ANY YOUNGER, I'D STILL BE IN GRAMMAR SCHOOL.
JIMMY MURPHY

Annie Rooney By Darrell McClure

THE FOLKS WHO LIVE ALONG THE CANAL ARE ALL TERRIBLE POOR!
BUT I LIKE 'EM, 'CAUSE THEY ALWAYS SMILE AND SAY, "HOWDY"-EVEN IF THEY DON'T KNOW YOU AT ALL.
IF YOU ASK 'EM FOR A DRINK OF WATER, THEY JUST LAFF AN' SAY, WATER'S ONLY GOOD FOR FISH AN' CANAL BOATS"
AN' THEN THEY SAY, "WON'T YOU HAVE A BITE WITH US? THE GRUB WON'T BE FANCY, BUT WE'LL BE POWERFUL GLAD TO HAVE YOUR COMPANY."

Bringing Up Father By George McManus

WHY DON'T YOU SURPRISE DADDY AND COOK SOME OF THOSE OLD-TIME MEALS FOR HIM?
A GOOD IDEA - I HOPE I HAVEN'T FORGOTTEN SOME OF MY RECIPES - I'M GOING TO START RIGHT NOW--
IS THIS THE NUTTENBOLT HARDWARE? WELL-THIS IS MRS. JIGGS - I WANT YOU TO SEND OVER A ROLLING-PIN"
?
SO-AREN'T YOU AFRAID YOU MAY CATCH A COLD GOING OUT IN THIS WEATHER?
I'LL TAKE MY CHANCES-IT'S BETTER THAN CATCHING A ROLLING-PIN

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